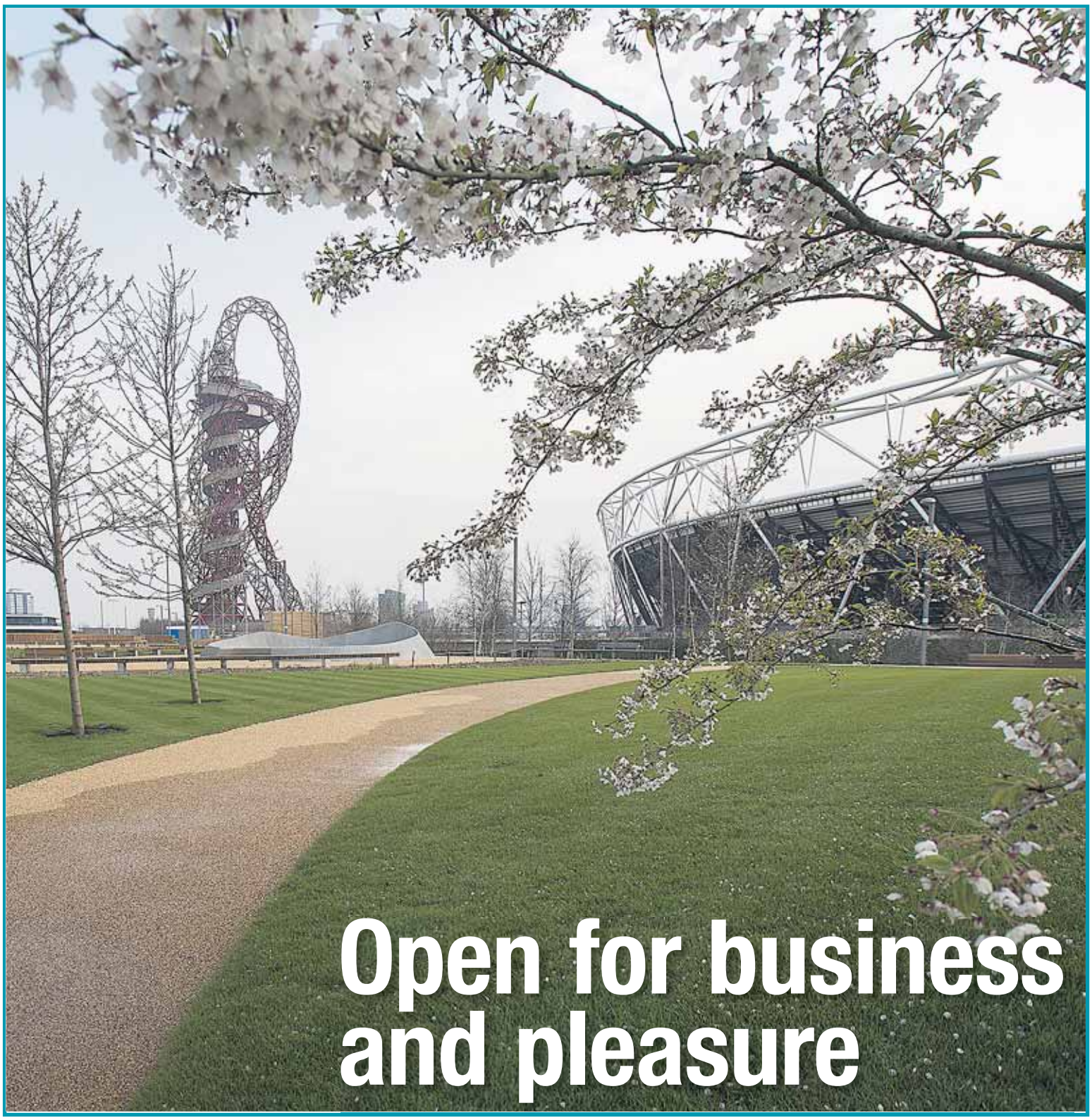
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RESIDENTS can now enjoy a legacy of London 2012 after the entire Queen Elizabeth Olympic Park was opened to the public on 5 April.

London's newest park – the north west of which is in Hackney – is free for all to enjoy and open 24 hours a day, seven days a week.

Features include waterways, grasslands, picnic areas, cafes, children's playgrounds, sporting venues, and an events space.

The venues are the London Aquatics Centre, Copper Box Arena, Lee Valley VeloPark, Lee Valley Hockey and Tennis Centre and Olympic Stadium, which from 2016 will be the permanent home of West Ham United Football Club. **For more info and pics, see page 7.**



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Clockwise from main: 1. Cllr Philip Glanville, George McGee and Mayor Pipe outside Tower Court; 2. Emma Reynolds in front of new homes at Finsbury Park Place; 3. Soon-to-be demolished Tower Court; 4. Lord Adonis visits new homes at Woodberry Down estate

Building a better future

DEMOLITION work is starting on a site overlooking Clapton Common, as part of a borough-wide initiative to build hundreds of new homes for social renting and shared ownership in the coming years.

Tower Court's two blocks of aging, unfit-for-purpose Council properties are being knocked down to make way for new homes for social renting, shared ownership, and private sale – with the latter needed to help pay for the whole process.

Jules Pipe, Mayor of Hackney, and Cllr Philip Glanville, Cabinet Member for Hackney Homes and Regeneration Estates, visited Tower Court on 2 April to see the progress with George McGee, Chair of the Six Estates Steering Group of residents.

> "We made a commitment to build new homes and refurbish existing ones on Hackney's regeneration estates"



The demolition of Tower Court as part of estate regeneration

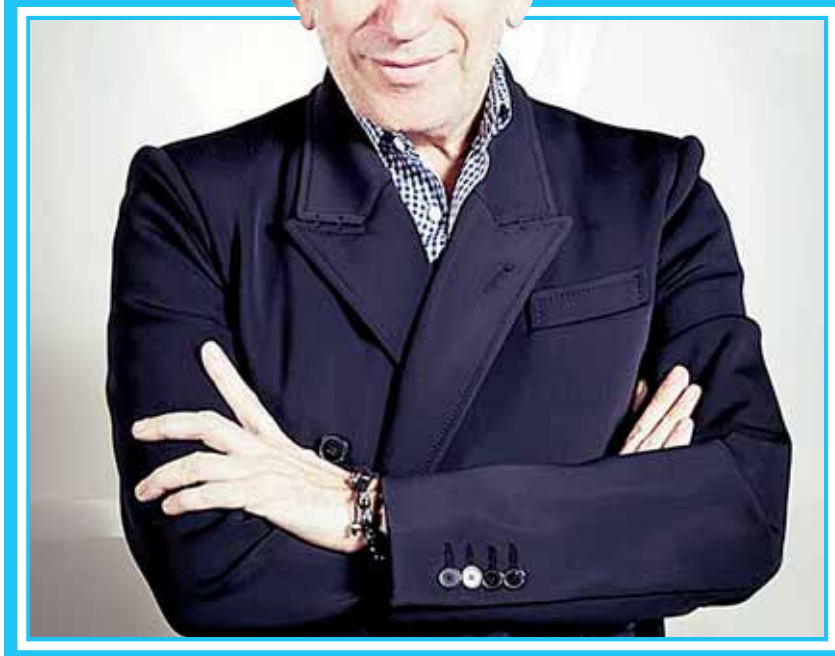
The site is one of several across the borough that will contribute to a total of 3,000 new homes built by the Council and social housing partners, of which half will be for rent and shared ownership, over the next few years. Another 600 of these new homes are being developed directly by the Council.

Hackney's estate regeneration schemes have attracted some high-profile attention in recent months, with visits from Emma Reynolds MP, Shadow Housing Minister, and former Cabinet Minister, Lord Adonis.

Mayor Pipe said: "We made a commitment to build new homes and refurbish existing ones for residents on Hackney's estates, and the redevelopment of Tower Court will help the Council continue to achieve this."

More than 2,500 homes for affordable rent have been built in Hackney since 2010, including 221 new council houses. In the last three years, the third highest number of affordable homes in the country were built in the borough.

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A Jean Paul Gaultier-inspired pop-up fashion market is set to open at Ram Place, Morning Lane, in July; artist's impression (top) and the building today

Pop-up fashion market

JEAN Paul Gaultier's love of street fashion is set to inspire a cutting-edge pop-up market in a derelict building at the heart of Hackney's burgeoning Fashion Hub as part of a London-wide festival.

The Ram Place Fashion Market, which is due to open this summer, will host a fashion themed component of the annual 'Beyond Barbican' arts festival, as part of an exhibition focusing on the influential designer's work.

For nine days in July, Ram Place in Morning Lane will be transformed into a market celebrating contemporary alternative fashion and street style, along with workshops for designers.

> "You just need to sit in a cafe in Hackney and see how people have done amazingly inventive things with their clothes"

Louise Jeffreys, Barbican Director of Arts, said: "We chose Hackney partly because that area is going to be developed as a fashion district. We thought there was exciting potential to do it there. Street fashion is what ordinary people come up with and couture designers notice and turn it into something bespoke.

"You just need to sit in a cafe in Hackney and see how people have done amazingly inventive things with their clothes."

Fashion commentator and set designer Jeff Horsley will design the space and curate the market to showcase local, emerging and established design talent, as well as developing a programme of free activities in the space, which will also contain a bar and cafe.

Cre8 Lifestyle Centre in Hackney Wick is also tasked with recruiting 30 local young people who will be mentored by fashion employers and benefit from work experience during the festival.

Cllr Guy Nicholson, Cabinet Member for Regeneration, said: "The organisations producing this event are adding another dimension to the developing Hackney Central Fashion Hub and acknowledging the renaissance of the fashion industry in Hackney, from design to retail."

News in brief

Fundraising appeal launched in memory of Shereka Marsh

AN ONLINE appeal has been launched to raise money for the funeral of Hackney schoolgirl Shereka Marsh.

The 15-year-old was shot dead at a house in Hackney Wick on 22 March. Donations will be also used to support her mother over the next few months.

Shereka was a prefect at The Urswick School, E9, and was due to take her GCSEs this summer.

She was described by headteacher Richard Brown as a 'bright, able student and on track to be really successful in her GCSEs. She was a great role model for other younger students'.

Year 11 prefects and friends of Shereka are collecting money from students and staff at the school.

Deputy head girl, Dina Loufimpou, 16, said: "This is for us to show Shereka's mum she is not on her own and that we are all here to support her."

The school and staff have been sharing memories of Shereka in a book of remembrance that has been placed in the school.

The fund was set up by The Worshipful Company of Cordwainers which supports The Urswick School through its charities arm. To donate, go to: **www.justgiving.com/cordwainer-shereka**

A 15-year-old boy has been charged with Shereka's murder and is due to appear at the Old Bailey on 11 June.



Cyclists celebrate 100 days to go until Tour de France





YOUNG riders from Hackney Primary School Cycling League celebrated 100 days to go until the Tour de France comes to the borough.

Nine children from Kingsmead, Gayhurst and Baden Powell primary schools, as well as members of Cycling Club Hackney, went to Trafalgar Square for the unveiling of 101 special-edition yellow Barclays Cycle Hire bikes on 27 March. They will be placed randomly around London to mark the 101st year of the world famous race.

The children were excited to receive yellow jerseys similar to those traditionally worn by the leader of the race.

The first three stages of the Tour de France – known as the Grand Depart – will take place in the UK this year. The race comes to Hackney on 7 July, speeding through Ruckholt Road, East Way, and Waterden Road in Hackney Wick, before heading into Queen Elizabeth Olympic Park and on to Central London.

The school league is run by Cycling Club Hackney with assistance from the Council and currently has nine schools participating in monthly events. For more info, visit: **www.cyclingclubhackney.co.uk**

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Friends and family welcomed The Voice finalist and Hackney's 'singing politician', Jermain Jackman, when he made a surprise visit to Holy Trinity Church Hall, in Beechwood Road, on 1 April

1. Jermain poses with fans; 2. The Voice judges; 3. The four finalists; 4. Jermain and Rebecca Samuel, when they were members of Hackney Youth parliament in 2012; 5. Excited fans; 6; Emotional greeting; 7. Coach will.i.am; 8. Local support for Jermain; 9. The judges at work; 10. Friends re-united; 11. Singing in Dalston; 12. Speaker Michael Desmond

Jermain finds his voice

STAR of BBC One's 'The Voice', Jermain Jackman, was given a hero's welcome when he made a surprise visit home to Dalston in the build up to the final of the hit singing competition.

Jermain was mobbed by friends, family and fans when he dropped into Holy Trinity Church Hall, in Beechwood Road, on 1 April.

He was welcomed on to the hall stage by the Speaker of Hackney, Cllr Michael Desmond, who said everyone in the borough was backing the finalist.

The 19-year-old former member of Hackney Youth Parliament, dubbed the 'singing politician', told his adoring fans: "It is totally humbling to see how much support you have given.

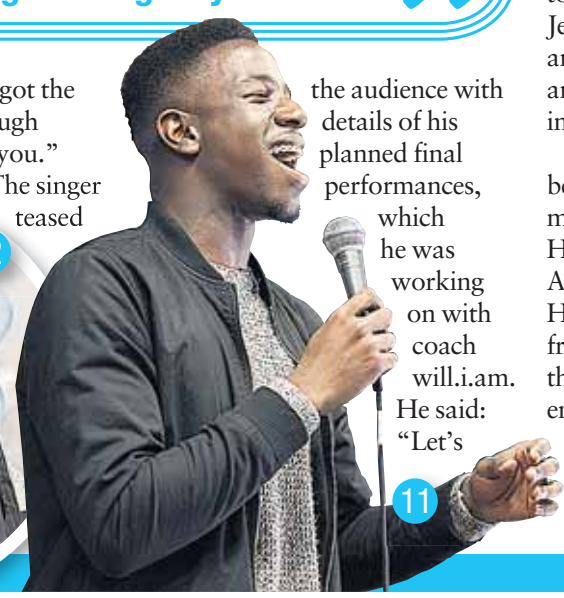
"I came back here to the church because that's where it all began for me."

He went on to thank close members of his family and school friends. Adding: "You have all made me the man I am today. It's so moving to know that you've got the whole borough rooting for you."

> "You have all made me the man I am today. It's so moving to know that you've got the whole borough rooting for you"


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The singer teased the audience with details of his planned final performances, which he was working on with coach will.i.am. He said: "Let's just say that in my first performance, I come down from the ceiling sitting on something."


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Speaking exclusively to Hackney Today, Jermain, said: "I was born and bred in Hackney and it always will be very important to me."

Jermain added he had been moved to receive messages of support from Hackney MPs Diane Abbott and Meg Hillier. He said: "I take inspiration from the borough in that there is so much positive energy and creativity here, although there is deprivation too."

Asked about his political ambitions to become Britain's first black Prime Minister he said: "Both music and politics are just different ways of connecting with people and giving back to the community."

He advised ambitious young people to 'follow your dreams until they are achieved. Never give up'.

The finals were set to take place over the weekend of 5 and 6 April. Jermain was due to go up against Sally Barker, 54, for Tom Jones' team; Christina Marie, 20, for Ricky Wilson, and Jamie Johnson, 19, representing team Kylie Minogue.

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Family fun day on Pembury

By **Sheerie Barker**

UNITY flourished among families at a community fun day on Pembury estate, organised to help make residents more aware of the services available to them in the borough.

Peabody housing association collaborated with Linden Children's Centre to organise the event on 29 March, putting on a day of games, workshops, food, music, stalls and information booths at the estate community hall.

Activities included children's arts and craft play sessions, face painting, a bouncy castle and a visit from the Hackney Play Bus. Parents were treated to free massages, craft stalls and tasty food.

> "All the children were interacting and they had lots of fun, it was sad when the day finished"



Pembury estate, E5, held a family fun day for families on 29 March

Ama Donker, seven, said: "I joined in the activities and played with other people, I liked the face painting."

Parent Munazzar Iqbal added: "There should be more events like this, it's great for the young people. It's better for children to mix instead of just sitting at home."

Stephanie Ogbeide said: "All the children were interacting and they had lots of fun. It was sad when the day finished."

Local services, including Homerton hospital's community health team, set up stalls providing a wide range of advice on topics covering personal and environment health, wellbeing, family nursing, shelter family support and how to receive free vitamins from local pharmacies.

Claire Reindorp, head of community project development at Peabody, said: "We try to work with people on the estate to find out what they'd like us to do to help make things better."

Pembury is undergoing major regeneration work and there are now two independent nurseries, a learning centre, youth club, and homework clubs on or near the estate.

Linden Children's Centre works with Peabody to support children in their early years, up to five-years-old.

News in brief

Flagship tech festival to take place in Hackney next year

A WORLD renowned technology and innovation festival is coming to Hackney next summer.

The Maker Faire will be held at Here East, formerly known as iCITY, and is expected to bring tens of thousands of tech enthusiasts, crafters, educators, engineers, science clubs, authors, artists, students and commercial exhibitors to the site on Queen Elizabeth Olympic Park.

The initiative, launched in 2006 and described as the 'Greatest Show (and Tell) on Earth', runs two main festivals which take place in San Francisco and New York, with smaller events across the globe.

The London faire is set to become a third flagship event, scheduled to run over four weeks. It is expected to draw about 75,000 people to East London.

Cllr Guy Nicholson, Cabinet Member for Regeneration, said: "It's entirely fitting that Maker Faire is coming to Hackney, a borough which has established itself as London's leading community of creative innovators and makers embracing advanced tech to build an economy based on both design and manufacture."

The decision to launch a third flagship Maker Faire was announced during the South by Southwest interactive festival in Austin, Texas.

Hackney House, the Council's award-winning alternative trade mission, and Here East showcased the talents of East London's creative, tech and design community during the event last month (pictured below).



Community grants up for grabs

THE Council is inviting voluntary sector organisations in Hackney to apply for a grant to deliver projects or events. Community groups and organisations can bid for funding of up to £1,000 for projects and events which help foster good relations by building a strong sense of community, neighbourliness and pride.



The projects should be delivered from June to October. Applications can be made from 7 April, and the deadline is midday on 2 May. For more info, and details on how to apply, visit: **www.hackney.gov.uk/community-grants**



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Queen Elizabeth Olympic Park opens in full to the public on 5 April; the park includes interactive water fountains, a new adventure playground, cafes, the Olympic venues and the ArcelorMittal Orbit

Olympic park opens

THE whole of Queen Elizabeth Olympic Park was set to open to the public on 5 April for the first time since London 2012.

It will be the culmination of 18 months of work by the London Legacy Development Corporation (LLDC) to transform the site of the Olympic and Paralympic Games into London's newest park, the north west of which is in Hackney. It will be free – open 24 hours a day, seven days a week – and features waterways, parklands, picnic areas, cafes, children's playgrounds, sporting venues, and an events space.

The final phase of work saw architect James Corner, who created the High Line in New York, redevelop the southern end of the park into a cultural quarter designed to be the East End's equivalent to the South Bank.

The park's five sporting venues are the London Aquatics Centre, Copper Box Arena, Lee Valley VeloPark, Lee Valley Hockey and Tennis Centre and Olympic Stadium, which from 2016 will be the permanent home of West Ham United Football Club.

Other attractions include the ArcelorMittal Orbit, which was designed by Anish Kapoor and Cecil Balmond. The 114.5 metre-high structure boasts two viewing platforms, where visitors can see 20 miles across London on a clear day. Tickets cost £7 for children, £15 for adults and £40 for a family of four. At the bottom of the Orbit there is The Podium, which features an events space, the EastTwenty Bar and Kitchen and a gift shop.

> "The opening of Queen Elizabeth Olympic Park is not the end of the transformation story"



The ArcelorMittal Orbit and the Olympic Stadium

Visitors can also explore four new activity trails, on the themes of London 2012: biodiversity, family fun, and arts and culture. They can also experience mini gardens that represent different climatic regions including South Africa, the Americas and the Mediterranean.

The park measures 560 acres, the same size as Hyde Park and Kensington Gardens combined, and is planted with 4,300 trees.

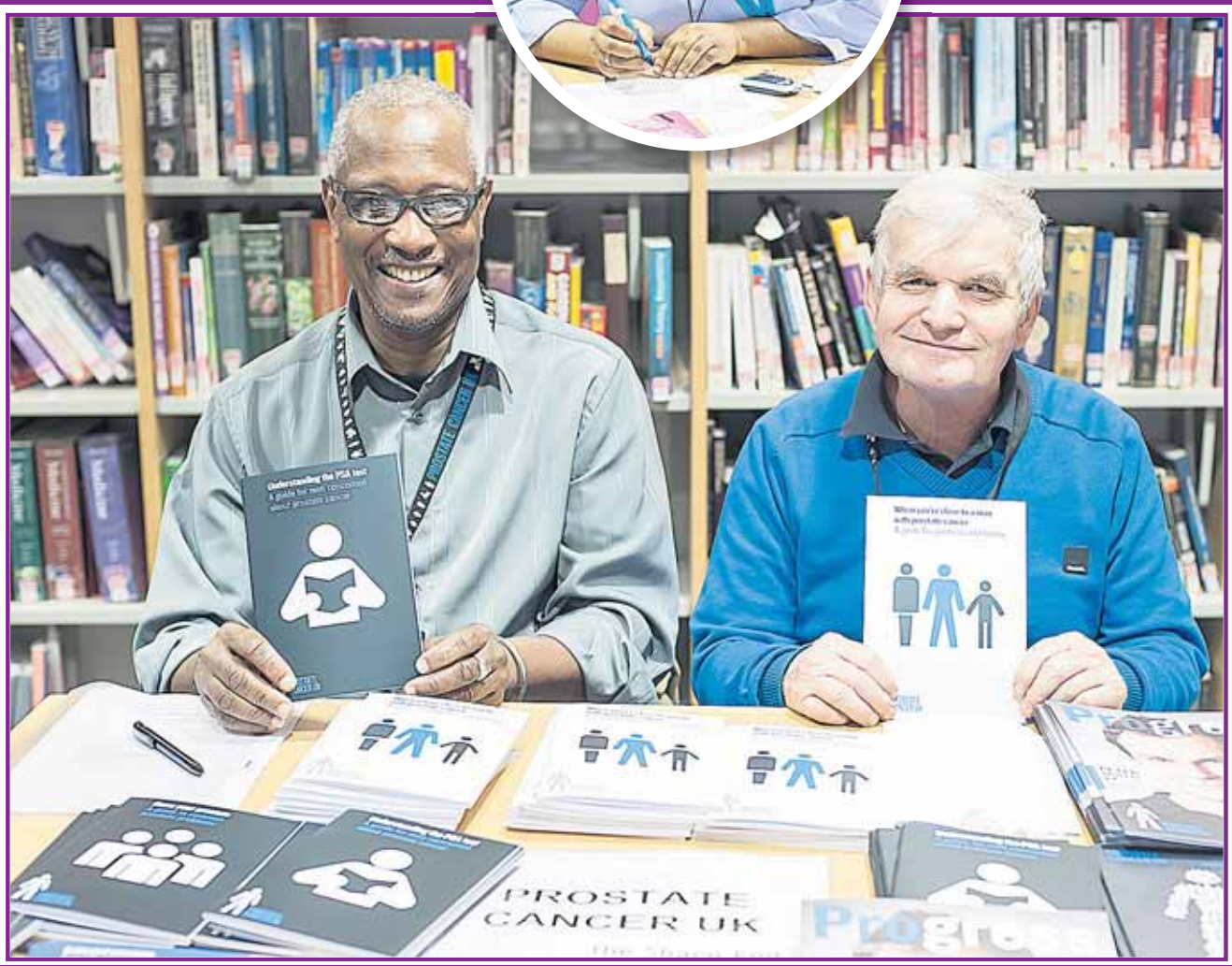
Dennis Hone, Chief Executive of LLDC, said: "The opening of Queen Elizabeth Olympic Park is not the end of the transformation story. We are building a new heart of East London creating jobs, building new homes, and bringing in investment, culture and education with partners like the Victoria and Albert Museum and University College London. It is an exciting time for all Londoners and we encourage people to come and see Queen Elizabeth Olympic Park for themselves."

MORE INFO

For more info, visit: **www.QueenElizabethOlympicPark.co.uk**; for tickets to ArcelorMittal Orbit visit: **www.arcelormittalorbit.com**

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Photos: Hannah Lucy Jones

At the launch of the new Health Spot in Hackney Central Library residents enjoyed tasters of the kinds of activities that will be on offer each month. These include gardening with The Sharp End; yoga from City and Hackney Mind; massages by Hands INC; healthy cooking demonstrations from Gaby's Kitchen; knitting workshops with St John-at-Hackney Church and pilates classes by GLL





Healthy, happy people

A wealth of resources to help people lead a healthier life are now available from the library

RESIDENTS packed into Hackney Central Library for the official opening of the Health Spot, an area devoted to helping people lead a healthier lifestyle.

It holds over 500 specialist books, covering a wide range of wellbeing topics, to give people ideas about how to change their lifestyle in order to improve their health and boost their mood.

The library will also host a programme of activities, highlighting a different health theme on the first Tuesday of every month.

If residents enjoy these taster sessions, they will receive information and encouragement to continue the activity with a local group or service.

> "We are using Hackney library as a place to give guidance to residents about making changes to their lifestyles"



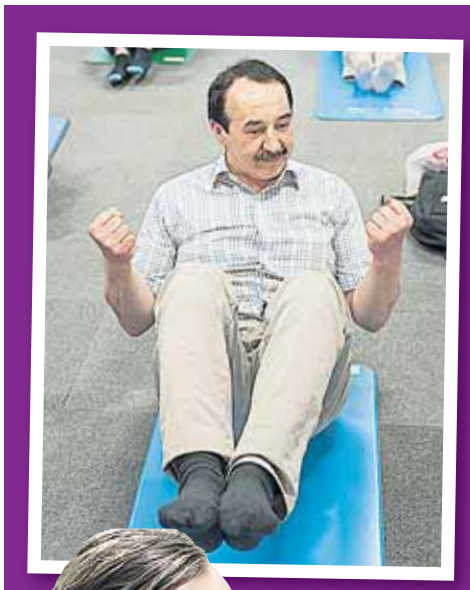
Residents try out group classes as part of the Health Spot launch

To mark the opening of the Health Spot on 1 April, guests were able to try out some of the taster sessions including healthy cooking demonstrations (Gaby's Kitchen); massages (Hands INC); knitting workshops (St John-at-Hackney Church); yoga (City and Hackney Mind); pilates (GLL) and gardening (The Sharp End).

There were also health information stalls run by Hackney Diabetes Centre;

To find out about what taster events the Health Spot is putting on, visit:
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Hackney Drug & Alcohol Action Team; Hackney Stop Smoking Team; Macmillan; Prostate Cancer UK; and the Samaritans.

Cllr Jonathan McShane, Cabinet Member for Health, Social Care and Culture, said: "Libraries are a fantastic, free, community resource and traditionally a place where people come for information. Through the Health Spot we are using Hackney Central Library as a place to give guidance to residents about making changes to their lifestyles that could have an significant impact on their health and happiness."

London Fields resident, Laura Honore, 73, visited the Health Spot because she is interested in knitting. She said: "It's great that I can come to my local library and get some help with my knitting. Events like this are an easy way to mix and meet people."

Eleanor Bruhn, 24, from Clapton, added: "This event is really good. I'd use my local library more if there were more events like this."

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Monday 14 April – Saturday 19 April
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This means that for most residents your refuse will be collected one day later than usual, but your recycling will be collected on the normal day.

Monday 21 April – Saturday 26 April
There are no collections on Monday 21 April due to the bank holiday. Refuse and recycling will be collected one day later.

Usual collection day	Recycling will be collected	Refuse will be collected
Monday 14th April	No change	Tuesday 15th April
Tuesday 15th	No change	Wednesday 16th
Wednesday 16th	No change	Thursday 17th
Thursday 17th	No change	Friday 18th
Friday 18th – *Good Friday*	Saturday 19th	Saturday 19th
Monday 21st – *Easter Monday*	Tuesday 22nd	Tuesday 22nd
Tuesday 22nd	Wednesday 23rd	Wednesday 23rd
Wednesday 23rd	Thursday 24th	Thursday 24th
Thursday 24th	Friday 25th	Friday 25th
Friday 25th	Saturday 26th	Saturday 26th

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Founders of 90 Main Yard, which won the People's Choice Award at the Mayor of Hackney's Business Awards: Tori Bravery, Remi Landaz and Bruno Cabral

Creative minds and spaces

NESTLED between the print factories and studios of Hackney Wick, a minute's walk from the Overground station, towers an old dye-cutting factory. Inside is an enormous industrial space, which backs on to the canal: 90 Main Yard.

It is filled with art, a grand piano and miscellaneous furniture. Up two flights of stairs there is an eye-catching view of the Olympic Park, and a co-working space full of creatives tapping away on Macs or chatting over coffee. The first floor is occupied by soundproofed music studios, where electronic music producers are hard at work.

90 Main Yard picked up the People's Choice award at the Mayor of Hackney's Business Awards on 20 March, winning a public vote by a large margin.

It is a space dreamt up by three local entrepreneurs: Remi Landaz, Tori Bravery and Bruno Cabral. They all met while working at Fabric nightclub seven years ago.

The two men went on to form Half Baked, a music promotion and record label focusing on electronic music in East London, before teaming up with Tori on their latest project last year.

She says: "We had converted a warehouse in Hackney Wick and were looking for a new space. We discussed the idea of having an environment where people could come and connect with each other. There's a changing model of working and being part of that seemed really natural.

"There used to be raves in here. It's a process of gentrification, but also progress. It's something the demographic wants, so by supplying workspaces and restaurants, it's kind of sad that a place you used to party in closes, but it's part of growing up."

> **"On Sunday we have roasts and people can come down to the canal and sip a cocktail, while listening to live jazz"**

Most of the events at 90 Main Yard are free, including live music, bingo, and exhibition openings as part of First Thursdays.

Remi adds: "It's really cool to transform something into a place where people can work, learn – with affordable rent – and make a space where everything comes together, for example, the people in the studios play at our events. You try to create something where you can give back."

They are in the process of taking on apprentices, with the Council's Ways into Work programme. Other plans include developing the roof and teaming up with the Tour London Bicycles hire company so visitors can ride around Queen Elizabeth Olympic Park.

Bruno says: "We want to be inclusive. The space is big enough so on a Saturday it can be a family thing, people can come and check out the art. On Sunday we have roasts and people can come down to the canal and sip a cocktail, while listening to live jazz followed by a DJ."

They want to expand their business model to other countries. Tori explains: "The great thing about this place – and you feel it when you come into the building – is the community, the energy, and the love that was put into the project. I hope it can work anywhere because that's part of our masterplan, to create it again and again."

Although, Remi says, it's something that maybe could only have begun here: "Hackney is something very special. The beauty of it is that living East is not about the money, and what you have, but about what you are."

Curriculum Vitae: Founders of 90 Main Yard

1980	Remi Landaz: Born in Grenoble, France
1982	Tori Bravery: Born in Cornwall
1984	Bruno Cabral: Born in São Paulo, Brazil
2007	Met at Fabric nightclub, London, where they worked
2010	Formed Half Baked record label
2013	Set up 90 Main Yard
2014	Won People's Choice Award at the Mayor of Hackney's Business Awards

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Kynaston Patchwork Farm before (left); and after (right). A map of Hackney's patchwork sites and urban market gardens (below)

Micro farms success

A THREE-year project by Growing Communities has resulted in the creation of the Hackney Patchwork Farm.

The social enterprise developed nine organic micro sites around the borough which combine to make up the farm.

The previously under used spaces have been transformed into working gardens thanks to help from volunteers, and 14 patchwork farmers that have been trained to work the land through an urban apprentice scheme.

Last year, the farm was the source of over a tonne of fresh produce, which is sold via a collection only fruit and veg box scheme. Its salad also won a top prize in the Soil Association Organic Food Awards.

> "We hope that our project will inspire other urban communities to grow and distribute their produce"



Coordinator Stephanie Irvine said: "We hope our project will inspire other urban communities to grow and distribute their produce through community-led trade."

To mark the completion of the project, illustrator Michael Georgiou produced a map of the farm and other market gardens across Hackney. For more info, visit: **www.growingcommunities.org**



The Castle Climbing Centre scoops two sustainability awards

THE Castle Climbing Centre has picked up two accolades at the Sustainable City Awards.

It won the sustainable food category and was highly commended in the tackling climate change category on 27 March.

The centre in Stoke Newington is surrounded by a 1.2 acre organic garden, which is part of the Hackney Patchwork Farm network (see above). It provides ingredients for the centre's cafe, and has plots for staff and residents to grow their own food. Lip balms and hand creams are also made on site using herbs and beeswax from local sources.

Manager Efua Uiterwijk said: "People are amazed at the amount we produce. In the garden there are layers of food growing."

Staff at the centre have worked hard over the last four years to change their business activities to become more sustainable, including reducing the size of their landfill waste collections by 78 per cent from 2011 to 2012.

The Sustainable City Awards were established in 2000 by the City of London Corporation.



Efua Uiterwijk, Jack Cox and Steve Taylor

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Drawing and painting	Thurs 6.30-8.30pm	24 Apr	3 Jul
Photography for beginners	Tues 6.30-9pm	22 Apr	1 Jul
Photography: intermediate	Thurs 6.30-9pm	24 Apr	3 Jul
Pottery / ceramics	Tues 6.30-8.30pm	22 Apr	1 Jul
Pottery / ceramics	Weds 12.30-2.30pm	23 Apr	2 Jul
Pottery / ceramics	Weds 3-5pm	23 Apr	2 Jul
Pottery / ceramics	Thurs 6.30-8.30pm	24 Apr	3 Jul
Pottery / ceramics	Tues 3-5.30pm	29 Apr	8 Jul
Cake decorating			
Cake decorating for beginners	Thurs 7-9pm Mon 7-9pm	24 Apr 28 Apr	3 Jul 14 Jul
Cake decorating: intermediate	Sat 10am-2.30pm	26 Apr	25 Jun
Cake decorating (sugarflowers)	Sat 10am-2.30pm	7 Jun	5 Jul
Cakes and patisserie	Tues 7-9pm	22 Apr	1 Jul
Cakes and patisserie	Wed 7-9pm	23 Apr	2 Jul
Certificate courses			
Foundation Diploma in Art (age 17+)	Mon & Tues 10-4pm Wed 10-12.30pm	22 Apr	Feb 2015
Bookkeeping and accounts level 1	Sat 10am-1pm	26 Apr	5 Jul
Bookkeeping and accounts level 2	Sat 1.30-4.30pm	26 Apr	5 Jul
Counselling (QFC Award in Intro to Counselling Skills).	Thurs 6-9pm	24 Apr	3 Jul
Food safety in catering (QFC)	Sat 9am-5pm	3 May	3 May
Food safety in catering (QFC)	Sat 9am-5pm	14 Jun	14 Jun

Course	Day and time	Starts	Ends
Fashion and textiles			
Clothesmaking for beginners	Tues 10.30am-1pm	22 Apr	1 Jul
Clothesmaking: intermediate	Tues 1.30-4pm	22 Apr	1 Jul
Clothesmaking: mixed ability	Tues 7-9pm	22 Apr	1 Jul
Clothesmaking for beginners (at Hackney Muslim Women's Council, Clapton)	Weds 9.30am-12pm	23 Apr	2 Jul
Clothesmaking: mixed ability	Thurs 7-9pm	24 Apr	3 Jul
Clothesmaking for beginners	Mon 7-9pm	28 Apr	14 Jul
Corsetry	Tues 6.30-8.30pm	22 Apr	1 Jul
Pattern cutting	Mon 7-9pm	21 Apr	30 Jun
Pattern cutting (at Hackney Muslim Women's Council, Clapton)	Thurs 10.00am-12.30pm	24 Apr	3 Jul
Keep fit and dance			
Egyptian dance	Weds 6-7.30pm	23 Apr	2 Jul
Languages			
French	Tues 7-9pm	22 Apr	1 Jul
French for improvers	Thurs 7-9pm	24 Apr	3 Jul
Spanish for beginners	Wed 7-9pm	23 Apr	2 Jul
Spanish for improvers	Tues 7-9pm	22 Apr	1 Jul
Swahili for beginners	Thurs 7-9pm	24 Apr	3 Jul
Swahili for improvers	Wed 7-9pm	23 Apr	2 Jul
Turkish for beginners	Thurs 7-9pm	24 Apr	3 Jul

Course	Day and time	Starts	Ends
Motor maintenance and driving theory			
Car maintenance (general)	Tues 6.30-8.30pm	22 Apr	1 Jul
Driving theory	Mon 7-9pm	28 Apr	16 Jun
Motorcycle maintenance for beginners	Wed 6.30-9pm	23 Apr	2 Jul
Motorcycle maintenance workshop: intermediate	Tues 6.30-9pm	22 Apr	1 Jul
Music			
Guitar for improvers	Weds 7.30-9.30pm	23 Apr	2 Jul
Singing for beginners	Mon 7-9pm	28 Apr	14 Jul
Tiling			
Home maintenance summer group	Thurs 6.30-9pm	24 Apr	17 Jul
Tiling (wall)	Sat & Sun 9.30am-3.30pm	17 May	18 May
Tiling (floor)	Sat & Sun 9.30am-3.30pm	14 Jun	15 Jun

Discounted costs on some courses for unemployed people receiving an active state benefit.

Enrol by phone: **020 7613 9116** (Full fee payers only. Non-cert courses).
Information: Email **info@hackney.ac.uk** or call **020 7613 9123**.
www.hackney.ac.uk

Information correct at time of going to press.
Please check before you enrol.

All courses are held at Hackney Community College, Shoreditch Campus, Falkirk Street, N1 6HQ, unless otherwise specified.

Hackney Community College

what's on

TOP FIVE

There's so much to do in and around Hackney. From theatre to club nights, art exhibitions to community events. Here's our pick of what's on this fortnight:

1. REPRESENTING THE IMPOSSIBLE

An exhibition bringing together unseen works from the 1960s and the present day

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2. FOOD SMOKING

A practical hands-on introduction, covering the basic theory of hot and cold smoking

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3. PAD BOXING

Find out why pad boxing is considered to be the best all-round training regime

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4. BANKSY: THE ROOM IN THE ELEPHANT

A story of how Banksy made a homeless man famous

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5. THE SPRING SWING

Five courses of food, music and circus arts with East London chefs

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PREVIEW

Elsewhere Festival

2-3 May, various Hackney locations

A NEW festival is coming to Hackney, across a number of venues over two days during the May Bank Holiday.
'Ghettoville' producer, Actress, and The Streets' Mike Skinner are among the line-up, which also includes Andy Blake, Chainless, Doc Daneeka, Dorsia, Floating Points, Get Me! DJs, Johnny Banger, Karma Kid, Kelela live (pictured), Leon Vynehall, Livin Proof DJs, Lxury, Marcellus Pittman, Mumdance, Ryan Hemsworth, Snakehips live, Toby Gale and more.
The festival has been created by the team at Dollop and is the sister event of Nottingham's Elsewhere festival.
The gigs will be at various locations in Hackney, including The Laundry on Warburton Road, Oslo, and London Fields Brewery.
Tickets are priced from £12.50 - £17.50 for a day pass and £25 for a weekend pass.

▸ For more info, visit: www.facebook.com/ElsewhereFestival

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NIGHTLIFE



HEALTH, FITNESS & SPORT



Mike Skinner to perform at Elsewhere Festival

Events info can also be viewed on the Council's website: www.hackney.gov.uk/whatson

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ART & EXHIBITIONS

A EUROPE FOR ALL, BY ALL

Until 13 Apr, various times

19 London-based artists from all corners of Europe have come up with inspiring reflections, messages and strategies addressing issues surrounding political participation in Europe. This event is designed to stimulate debate about how to improve European democracy and encourage participation in the upcoming European Parliament elections, while showcasing the alternatives that exist. Free. Hundred Years Gallery, 13 Pearson St. E2 8JD.

Info: 020 3602 7973; info@hundredyearsgallery.com; www.hundredyearsgallery.com/a-europe-for-all-by-all

REPRESENTING THE IMPOSSIBLE

Until 17 April, Tues-Sat, 10am-6pm

An exhibition bringing together unseen works from the 1960s, and the present day in a specially conceived installation by Stephen Willats. Free. Victoria Miro, 16 Wharf Rd, N1 7RW.

Info: 020 7336 8109; info@victoria-miro.com; www.victoria-miro.com



BRICK LANE

Until 26 Apr, 10am-10pm

An exhibition of black and white photographs of the East End's Brick Lane, in chronological sequence. It tells the story of volatile social change on one of Britain's most celebrated streets from 1982 until the present day. Free. All ages. Rich Mix, 35-47 Bethnal Green Rd, E1 6LA.

Info: 020 7613 7498; boxoffice@richmix.org.uk; www.richmix.org.uk

UNPLANNED MEMORIES

Until 27 Apr, Fri-Sun, 12noon-6pm

An exhibition of two artists in pursuit of the elusive, mysterious, unforgettable, soulful object. Unplanned Memories is a response to the song lyrics 'Help me to understand why others seem to plan their memories' by Billie MacKenzie in Beyond the Sun. Free. Unit 25a, Regent Studios, 8 Andrews Rd, E8 4QN. (Closed Easter weekend.)

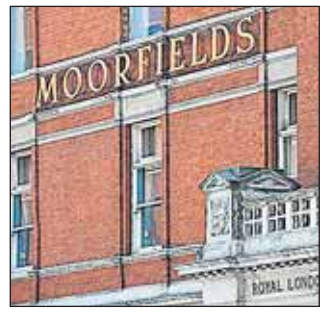
Info: 020 7254 4202; info@transitiongallery.co.uk; www.transitiongallery.co.uk

MYSTERY & MEDICINE

10 Apr, 7-9pm

Lecturer at Queen Mary University, Tessa Whitehouse, offers a literary exploration of the medical geography of East London's Moorfields hospital into the 18th century. Poet, Fabian MacPherson also reads poetry drawn from medical and scientific text and writer/publisher Edmund Hardy speaks on the relation between alchemy, power and language. £6/5 conc. All ages. Parasol Unit Foundation for Contemporary Art, 14 Wharf Rd, N1 7RW.

Info: 020 7490 7373; info@parasol-unit.org; www.parasol-unit.org



NEW DREAM MACHINE PROJECT II

25 & 26 Apr, 10am-8pm

This film, by Shezad Dawood is the latest in an evolving body of work entitled New Dream Machine Project. The project explores the relationship between Beat Culture and Middle-Eastern artistic traditions. Screenings run continuously each day. Film length, 15 mins. Free. Parasol Unit Foundation for Contemporary Art, 14 Wharf Rd, N1 7RW.

Info: 020 7490 7373; info@parasol-unit.org; www.parasol-unit.org

CINEMA

RIO

The Lego Movie 3D (U); The Double (15); The Lunchbox (PG); 20 Feet From Stardom (12A); The King And The Mocking Bird (U); We Are The Best! (15). Rio Cinema, 107 Kingsland High St, Dalston, E8 2PB. **Info: 020 7241 9410; www.riocinema.ndirect.co.uk**

RICH MIX

Muppets Most Wanted (U); Captain America: The Winter Soldier (12A) 2D/3D; The Grand Budapest Hotel (15); Afternoon Delight (18); The Fold (15); Almost Married (15). Rich Mix, 35-47 Bethnal Green Rd, E1 6LA. **Info: 020 7613 7498; www.richmix.org.uk**

HACKNEY PICTUREHOUSE

Captain America: The Winter Soldier (12A) 2D/3D; 20 Feet From Stardom (12A); Starred Up (18); Under The Skin (15); The Grand Budapest Hotel (15); Rio 2 (U). Hackney Picturehouse, 270 Mare St, E8 1HE. **Info: 0871 902 5734; www.picturehouses.co.uk/cinema/hackney_picturehouse**

COURSES

POTTERY CLASSES

Every Saturday 12noon-2pm & Monday, 1.30-3.30pm

Teaching hand building and decorative effects in a studio for small classes. Plus support to develop your own project. GageArt, 1 Bouverie Rd, N16 0AH (off Church St. in Cobbled Yard). £20 per 2 hr class. All levels. Ages 16+.

Info: 07920 190 849; mgageblueyonder.co.uk; www.mandeegage.co.uk



BASIC CAKE DECORATING

12 Apr, 10am-1pm

Decorating workshop covering cut outs, cake covering, preparing butter cream and using simple piping strokes. Ideal for beginners or as a refresher. £30, ingredients included. Ages 19+. Unit 24-25, The Forum, Independent Place, Shacklewell Lane, E8 2HE.

Info: 020 7249 4542; Htea@live.co.uk; www.htea1.com

FOOD TRAINING

17 Apr-20 May, 9am-5pm

The law requires that all food handlers must receive adequate supervision, instruction and/or training in food hygiene for the work that they do. Bookings are now being taken for RSPH Level 2 Award in Food Safety in Catering. £65. Ages 18+. **Info: 020 8356 4911; www.rsph.org.uk**

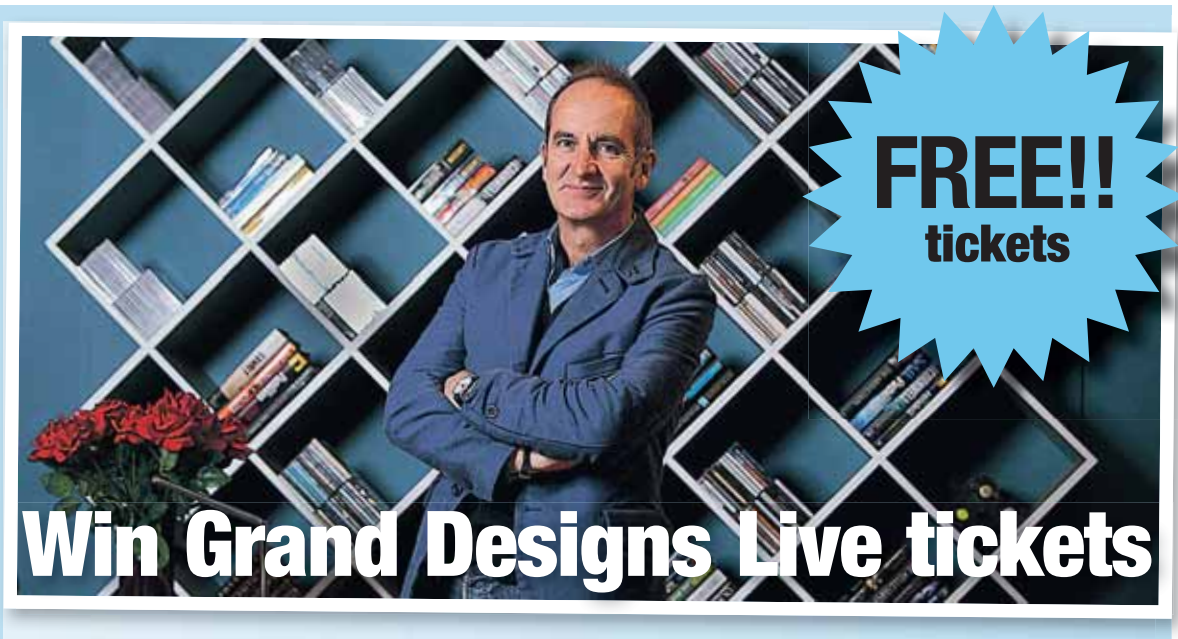


FOOD SMOKING

19 Apr, 10am-4pm

A practical hands-on introduction, covering the basic theory of hot and cold smoking. Also learn how to make and use a hot and cold smoker, brining and salting salmon, food hygiene and health

Competition



Win Grand Designs Live tickets

THE UK's leading contemporary home show, Grand Designs Live returns to London ExCeL for the tenth year running.

As the ultimate destination for home owners and self-builders, it will showcase a range of innovative and inspirational ideas across the nine day show.

The event will be packed with over 500 exhibitors, across seven different sections, covering interiors, gardens, food and housewares, kitchens and bathrooms, home improvement, self-build, renovations, technology and shopping.

Highlights include Ask An Expert, Market Lane, Grand Food and Housewares, The TechBox Grand Technology, The Live Kitchen Experience, and The Grand Village.

Grand Designs Live takes place from 3 to 11 May at 1 Western Gateway, Royal Victoria Dock, E16 1XL.

Hackney Today has teamed up with Grand Designs Live to provide readers with an exclusive ticket offer for the show. Book two-for-one tickets by quoting **HT241** online at: **www.granddesignslive.com**; or calling the hotline on: **0844 854 1348**. Offer is on standard tickets only, which must be booked in advance. Ends 2 May. Transaction fee of £1.70 applies per order.

For a chance of winning a pair of tickets, send a postcard to Grand Designs Live competition, Hackney Today, 17 Reading Lane, E8 1HH; or e-mail: htnews@hackney.gov.uk by 12pm on 21 April. Submissions must include an address and contact number. Winners will be pulled out of a hat.

and safety. £110, includes tea and coffee. Ages 16+. Booking essential via online or phone. Hackney City Farm, 1a Goldsmiths Row, E2 8QA.
Info: 07940 491 049; www.coldsmoking.co.uk

DRAWING AND PAINTING
Every Thursday, 24 Apr- 3 Jul, 11am - 1pm
A 10-week course giving participants the opportunity to practice and develop drawing and painting techniques. £25. Ages 18+. Booking essential. The Centre for Better Health, 1a Darnley Rd, E9 6QH.
Info: 020 8985 3570; www.centreforbetterhealth.org.uk

HEALTH, FITNESS & SPORT



YOGA
Every Tuesday, 7.45-8.45pm
Concentrating on breath and alignment with dynamic sequences to tone the body and improve posture. A moving meditation to help you feel lighter and more positive. £10 or a 6 class pass for £50, valid for 2 months. Mats provided. Ages 16+. Holistic Health, Broadway Market, E8 4QJ.
Info: 07889 369 775; emmadmd@blueyonder.co.uk; www.facebook/emmayoga

INTRODUCTION TO THE ALEXANDER TECHNIQUE
12 Apr, 10am-12.30pm
Discover how the technique can help reduce aches, pains and improve your poise, performance and wellbeing. A small group to enable one on one support. Book in advance. Ages 13+. £45. Alexander Technique-Hilary King, 13 Aden Grove, N16 9NP.
Info: 020 7254 9206; alextech@hilaryking.net; www.hilaryking.net



PAD BOXING
Every Wednesday, 7-8.30pm
Experience first hand, why pad boxing is considered to be the best all-round training regime. £6. Ages 18+. Abney Public Hall, 73a Stoke Newington Church St, N16 0AS.
Info: 07905 614 256; JasonBoxW1n@outlook.com

TAEKWONDO
Every Tuesday, 8-9.15pm
Bozdag Taewkondo club promises quality certified training to keep you in shape as well as teach necessary skills for self defence. Ages 18+. All levels. Bozdag Taewkondo Basement, 60-64 Kingsland Rd, E2 8DP.
Info: 020 7033 4660; info@bozdag-taekwondo.com; www.bozdag-taekwondo.com

KEEP FITNESS FUN
Every Sunday, 11.15am-12noon
Fun outdoor exercise classes designed to improve your fitness and tone and strengthen your muscles whilst having fun. Meeting point is The Royal Inn on The Park pub, 111 Lauriston Rd, E9 7JH. All levels. Book in advance via email. £3. Ages 18+.
Info: alice.bowmaker@hotmail.co.uk

NIGHTLIFE

PHLOSS
Every Sunday, 10pm-late
Keeping the weekend alive through to Monday morning with a weekly party selection of house, hip-hop, garage, drum & bass and more classics. Free. Ages 18+. Mother Bar, 333 Old St, EC1V 9LE.
Info: 020 7739 5949; www.333mother.com

SCARED TO DANCE
12 Apr, 10pm-3am
Playing indiepop, post-punk, new wave and sixties music. Guest DJ on the night is Owen Williams from the band Joanna Gruesome. The bands debut album 'Weird Sister' got rave reviews from Pitchfork and Rolling Stone. £6/4. Ages 18+. Moustache Bar, Stoke Newington Rd, N16 7XB.
Info: 07934 015 330; paul@scaredtodance.co.uk; www.scaredtodance.co.uk

OPEN THE GATE
25 Apr, 8pm-4am
Open the Gate returns to Passing Clouds with an amazing line-up of live music from various genres and to make you get on your dancing feet and travel the world. Featuring acts, Afriquoi, Renkon Band and Jessie Lee Buen. Ages 18+. £10/£5 before 10pm. Passing Clouds, 1 Richmond Rd, E8 4AA.
Info: pr@openthegate.org.uk; www.openthegate.org.uk



DUGOUT SOUL CLUB
25 Apr, 9pm-3am
DJ Collective, Slapshot Soul is set to electrify the dance floor with their unique mash up of northern soul, funk and rare groove. Free. Ages 18+. Mascara Bar, 72 Stamford Hill, Stoke Newington, N16 6XS.
Info: 07432 255 357; info@mascarabar.co.uk; www.facebook.com/slapshotsoul

FRENCH CAFÉ
12 Apr, 8pm-2am
A night of floor-filling tracks playing nu-disco, hip-hop, house, techno and everything in between. Free. Ages 18+. White Rabbit Bar, 125 Stoke Newington Church St, N16 0UH.
Info: 020 3556 3350; info@whiterabbitlondon.co.uk; www.whiterabbitlondon.co.uk



Picture: George Ramsay

PREVIEW

Baby/Lon

14 April-3 May, Hackney Downs Studios, E8 2BT

A NEW play inspired by real life stories, featuring a cast who have grown up in the care system, is coming to Hackney Downs Studios.
'Baby/Lon', written by Andy Day, is based on the lives and experiences of the actors. It is produced by Big House Theatre Company, which is building on the success of its previous production, 'Phoenix', which featured Jasmine Jobson as Latitia.
This new production, directed by Maggie Norris, stars young people who have dealt with isolation, mental health concerns, homelessness, gang affiliation and having had their children taken into care. There were no auditions for the play which was developed for the Big House's Open House Project to help young care leavers move forward with their lives.
Baby/Lon shows at Hackney Downs Studios from 14 April to 3 May. Tickets are available from http://billetto.co.uk/babylon. £10 or £5 concessions.

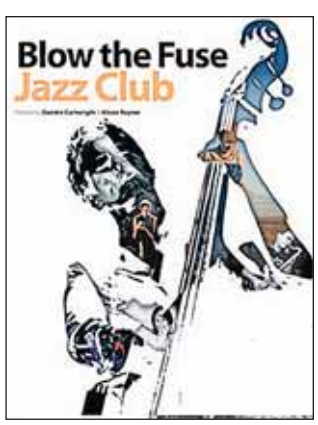
THEATRE & LIVE ENTERTAINMENT



THE NINE O'CLOCK SLOT
Until 19 Apr, 7.30-9.15pm
This theatrical production confronts the disturbing rise in the number of paupers' funerals in modern-day Britain. Retracing the stories of four individuals buried in a communal grave, fusing performance with choreography, digital imagery and skilled physical comedy. £15/12 conc. Red Gallery, Red Gallery, 1-3 Rivington St, EC2A 3DT.
Info: 020 7613 3620; www.redgallerylondon.com

BANKSY: THE ROOM IN THE ELEPHANT
Until 26 Apr, Mon-Sat, 8-10pm
The story of how Banksy made a homeless man in LA famous after spraying 'this looks a bit like an elephant' on an old water tank he had been living in for seven years. Starring EastEnders' Gary Beadle. £17/12 conc. Ages 12+. Arcola Theatre, 24 Ashwin St, Dalston E8 3DL.
Info: 020 7503 1646; boxoffice@arcolatheatre.com; www.arcolatheatre.com

BLOW THE FUSE PRESENTS TOMORROW THE WORLD
11 Apr, 8-11pm
Indian sitar player, Baluji Shrivastav explores ragas and improvisation with jazz guitarist Deirdre Cartwright. Plus a performance from Shama Rahman Quartet, mixing music from English, Bengali, Bulgarian and West African traditions, weaving stories that start life as poems and take flight as songs. Ages 14+. St Mary's Old Church Arts Centre, Stoke Newington Church St, N16 9ES.
Info: www.wegottickets.com/event/265221; www.blowthefuse.com



Events info can also be viewed on the Council's website: www.hackney.gov.uk/whatson

DID YOU KNOW?



REVIEW

Grimm Tales for Young and Old

Until 24 April, Shoreditch Town Hall, EC1V 9LT

BENEATH the faded civic splendour of Shoreditch Town Hall is a warren of dank basement rooms, transformed by flickering lights, heaps of straw, spinning-wheels, dolls' heads and antique wedding gowns, into a fairy-tale world.

Here, Philip Pullman's reworking of 'Grimm Tales for Young and Old' is brought to life in Philip Wilson's adaptation, billed as an immersive storytelling experience.

Familiar stories such as 'Little Red Riding Hood' and 'Rapunzel' are performed alongside lesser-known ones, such as 'The Juniper Tree' and 'Hans-My-Hedgehog', and where some of those tales have been sanitised by modern popular culture, this is a chance to experience them in their sinister and visceral glory.

Of the five stories presented, the most successful re-telling is the 'The Three Snake Leaves'; a weird fable of love, bravery, premature burial, resurrection, sea-travel, betrayal, murder, snakes, and magic leaves. This is both action-packed and atmospheric. It takes place on the smallest of the three 'stages', which adds to its intensity. The cast members throughout are energetic and adaptable, with actors often switching between two or three different costumes and roles within minutes.

The real star of this show is Pullman's economical yet richly-imagined prose, which grips the attention of the audience throughout a slightly patchy production.

Tickets are priced from £19.50 to £35.

By Polly Cziock

POWER LUNCHES

22 Apr, 8pm-late

KMG Live presents Ian Siegal, a bluesman who combines fabulous vocals with command of his guitar. Plus supporting act, husband and wife duo, Trevor Moss & Hannah-Lou, who previously released three singles with their band Indigo Moss. £14. Ages 18+. Power Lunches Arts Café, 446 Kingsland Rd, E8 4AA.

Info: 020 7998 1997; www.powerlunchesltd.co.uk



BLUES IN THE NIGHT

24 Apr-4 May, various times

Exploring three women's relationships with one man. Based in Chicago 1939, this is a compilation of 26 hot blues numbers including 'When A Man Loves A Woman', 'Wasted Life Blues' and 'Taking A Chance on Love'. Starring Clive Row. £10-25. Hackney Empire, 291 Mare St, E8 1EJ.

Info: 020 8985 2424; info@hackneyempire.co.uk; www.hackneyempire.co.uk

YOUNG PEOPLE

N4 TIGERS KARATE

Every Monday, 5.30-6.30pm

Learn basic stances, strikes, blocks and kicks and defend yourself from various attacks. Also learn about sparring, the sporting aspect of karate, and how to participate in club tournaments. £5. Ages 5+. Redmond Community Centre, Kayani Avenue, Woodberry Down, N4 2HF.

Info: 07905 614 256; tigerskarate1999@yahoo.co.uk

SPRING HAS SPRUNG

8-11 Apr, various times

Easter activities during the holidays including painting seasonal plates, creating springtime masks, and other arts and crafts. Free. Ages 2-16. First-come first-served. Under 11s must be accompanied. Geffrye Museum, 136 Kingsland Rd, E2 8EA.

Info: 020 7739 9893; info@geffrye-museum.org.uk; www.geffrye-museum.org.uk

GRAND GARDEN DESIGNS

11 Apr, 2-4pm

Celebrate the re-opening of the gardens, and discover the flowers and animals that have grown and lived in the Geffrye almshouses over the centuries. Design intricate garden scenes and re-create them onto ceramics and fabrics. Ages 11-18. Geffrye Museum, Kingsland Rd, E2 8EA.

Info: 020 7739 9893; rcrofts@geffrye-museum.org.uk; www.geffrye-museum.org.uk



FAMILY FICTIONS - CLAN CAMERA

13 Apr, 2.30-4pm

This workshop takes inspiration from artist Shezard Dawood's interest in the surreal, myth and ritual. Families will draw upon their own rituals to create a 'clan-identity', becoming a collective 'clan-camera' travelling through the galleries. The workshop involves props, costumes and film. £5 per family. Ages 5-15. 14 Wharf Rd, N1 7RW.

Info: 020 7490 7373; info@parasol-unit.org; www.parasol-unit.org

THE CAKE EVENT

13 Apr, 3-7.30pm

A fundraiser for a future where no Hackney child goes without a birthday cake. Plenty of cakes by the slice; cookbook, a raffle, games and a chef demo stage, headlined by Master Chef 2013 winner, Natalie Coleman. All ages. Crate Brewery, Unit 7, Queen's Yard, White Post Lne, E9 5EN.

Info: www.freecakesforkidshackney.com

JAMAICA HIDDEN HISTORIES

17 Apr, 7.30pm

A showcase by young people aged 18-25, featuring promotional videos and spoken word performances, based on Jamaican dialect and imagery, taking the audience through a live musical journey of early Jamaican music, spanning 70 years. Free. Rich Mix, 35-47 Bethnal, Green Rd, E1 6LA.

Info: 020 7613 7498; www.richmix.org.uk

NOTICEBOARD

CADBURY'S EASTER EGG TRAIL

4-20 Apr, 10.30am-5pm

Easter egg trails every day throughout the holidays. Find an Easter egg hunt clue in the 500-year old toilet that King Henry VIII may have used or in one of the creaky old treasure chests. All ages. Sutton House, Homerton High St, E9 6JQ.

Info: 020 8986 2264; www.nationaltrust.org.uk/sutton-house



BAKE YOUR DREAMS COME TRUE

9 Apr, 11am-5pm

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Info: tasteandsmile.com/bakingdreams

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12 Apr, 11.30am-12.45pm

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THE SPRING SWING

13 Apr, 5pm-12midnight

The Beggars Banquet. Five courses of food by East London chefs, with live music and circus acts. £25. Ages 18+. Dalston Boys Club, 63 Boleyn Rd, Dalston, N16 8JG.

Info: 07789 147 545; www.thespringswing.eventbrite.com



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Competitions



Hackney Today offered readers a chance to win family tickets to Tom's Midnight Garden in issue 327.

The winner was P Lutaaya

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Pupils from Grasmere Primary School, N16, help launch the Run Hackney schools' challenge with Cllr Jonathan McShane

Pupils run for Hackney

RUN Hackney, the new half marathon taking place in the borough this summer, has launched an inaugural schools' challenge, aimed at four to 11-year-olds.

The event aims to encourage children to complete a total of 12.1 miles prior to race day on 22 June, which is around one mile per week.

Youngsters will then cover the final mile alongside teachers as part of the 13.1 mile half marathon route which travels through Queen Elizabeth Olympic Park before ending in Homerton in front of thousands of spectators.

> "The Schools' Challenge is a really fun way to get kids from the borough to think about healthy lifestyles"

Speaking at the launch, which took place at Grasmere Primary School, N16, on 1 April, Cllr Jonathan McShane, Cabinet Member for Health, Social Care and Culture, said: "One of the highlights of Run Hackney is the Schools' Challenge, which is a really fun way to get kids from the borough to think about healthy lifestyles and the importance of exercise while raising money for the children's cancer charity, CLIC Sargent.

"Hopefully we've started something here today that will continue to inspire children for years to come, and maybe some of these kids from Grasmere primary will run the full race when they are older."

The aim of Run Hackney is to help celebrate and promote the borough and to encourage physical activity.

The route will wind through the borough past some of its most famous landmarks including Hackney Empire and 'cheering points' at Broadway Market, Well Street Common, Mabley Green, Hackney Downs and Haggerston Park.

MORE INFO

For more info, or to register, visit: **www.runhackney.com**

News in brief

Stormont House picks up gold

STORMONT House School, E5, won the ParaGames tennis title – for the second year running – on 27 March.

The special school defeated Westminster's Quintin Kynaston Community Academy 3-1 to win gold for learning impaired competitors in years seven to nine.

David Vallaler, team manager, said: "We weren't able to prepare as well as we would have liked. But in the end it didn't really matter because of how the students performed. It's evident the standard has gone up immensely in a year. Plus with them being shy, they have gelled very well as a team and it has shown."

The competition is part of the Balfour Beatty London Youth Games, Europe's largest annual youth sporting event, open to all Londoners aged seven to 18.



Stormont House win ParaGames tennis title

Hackney students step it up

PUPILS from Our Lady's Convent High School, N16, helped youngsters from Millfields Community Primary School, E5, learn about staying active and eating well.

The eight older health and social care students taught the Millfields schoolchildren the 'Step It Up' Sport Relief song and dance routine, following a quiz about healthy eating.

They then spoke about 'good and bad' food and why exercise is important.

Debbie Goncalves said: "Doing the dance with the children was the best bit. I want to be a teacher and this has been great opportunity."

The Our Lady's students took part in the 20 March event as part of the annual Stepping Up project – organised by Inspire! Education Business Partnership – which challenges students to devise and deliver a project of benefit to their community.



Millfields pupils dance to 'Step It Up'

Grasmere School take part in tree planting ceremony to help promote peace



Kaki tree and paper cranes; Cleveland Watkiss

PUPILS at Grasmere Primary School, N16, were joined by jazz musician Cleveland Watkiss to enjoy a morning of music, storytelling, and crafts on 24 March.

The event marked the planting of a tree donated by the Kaki Project, which works to promote world peace. The sapling is a descendant of a tree that miraculously survived the atomic bomb which devastated Nagasaki, Japan, at the end of the Second Word War in 1945.

Youngsters then hung up 1,000 paper cranes made as part of the peace education project. Headteacher Mark Derrington said: "Grasmere feels incredibly proud and privileged to be part of such an innovative cross curricular project.

"All the children have taken part in a variety of art, drama, storytelling, music and multi-media activities promoting children's understanding of peace and wellbeing.

"Children and parents have been captivated by the stories behind the work and many have given up their weekend as part of making 1,000 paper cranes."

To find out more about the project visit: **www.kakitreeproject.com/eng**

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Free Cycle Skills Training in Hackney Downs for complete beginners at Pavilion Downs Road, E5

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Easter Holiday Cycling Activity Taster Sessions at the Lee Valley VeloPark. For details visit **www.visitleevalley.org.uk**
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CCH is also offering coaching to 6-8 year olds (limited spaces and parents must stay with their child)

Adults/Seniors:
Sunday Club
Early Risers – set off from club HQ: 6, Olympus Square, Nightingale Estate, E5 8PL at 8am on Sunday mornings.
New riders welcome.

For more info:
www.cyclingclubhackney.co.uk & cyclingclubhackney.blogspot.com

Pedal Power

Pedal Power: The cycling club for teenagers and adults with learning difficulties in Finsbury Park N4

Tues 1 April - 11.00am
Sat 5 April - 12.00noon
Tues 8 April - 11.00am
Tues 15 April - 11.00am
Sat 19 April - 12.00noon
Tues 22 April - 11.00am
Tues 29 April - 11.00am
Sat 3 May - 12.00noon
Tues 6 May - 11.00am
Tues 13 May - 11.00am
Sat 17 May - 12.00noon
Tues 20 May - 11.00am
Tues 27 May - 11.00am

For more info:
www.pedalpowercc.org

Monday club at HACKNEY DOWNS E5

Join in with a cycling group this spring. You can learn to ride a bike or brush up your cycling skills in good company.

Just come along to the Pavilion at Hackney Downs on Monday mornings between 10am and 12.30pm; or in the afternoons between 1.00pm and 3.30pm. Sessions are running every Monday from 21 April to 26 May, bring your own bike or borrow one of ours.

BANK HOLIDAY SPECIALS for all the family on
Monday 21 April
Monday 5 May
Monday 26 May

If you prefer, you can make a booking through www.cycletraining.co.uk phone 020 7231 6005

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Interlinkx CiC: The Fawcett Youth and Community Bike Club

Meet Thursday evenings 6-8pm at the awcett Estate Garage, 8 Upper Clapton Road by the zebra crossing.

Free cycle maintenance classes for young people

For more info:
interlinkx.blogspot.com



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Hackney Community College has launched new fashion academy; Verlisha Pierre from House of Queen Bee (top right)

New fashion academy

A NEW academy has opened in Hackney to train the future stars of the fashion industry.

The London Technical Fashion Academy is based on the Hackney Community College (HCC) campus in Hoxton. It is the result of two years of development by the college, industry body Creative Skillset, and fashion companies committed to improving their sector through the use of apprenticeships.

The project is part of an industry-wide drive to change the focus from outsourcing abroad, to manufacturing in the UK, and developing staff with the skills to support this.

> "Many factories wish to expand and the time is right to support this growth by training young people in technical skills"

Apprentices will work with a company four days a week, and train at the college with expert tutors and specialist facilities, one day a week.

The college will manage the recruitment of apprentices for employers, and offer training in apparel manufacturing, with options for specialisms such as high end and leather goods.

Speaking at the academy launch on 20 March, Daliah Simble from designer Roland Mouret, said: "Manufacturing at high street and luxury level is at a crucial point, with demand exceeding capacity.

"Many factories wish to expand and the time is right to support this growth by training young people in technical skills, to enter the fashion industry and have the opportunity to have paid and fulfilling careers in the creative areas of cutting, sewing or finishing."

Other companies already signed up include Sour Grape, Globe Trotter, House of Queen Bee and East End Manufacturing.

News in brief



Art Against Knives charity teams up with the Red Cross

CHARITIES working with young Londoners at risk of knife crime have produced a short film which premiered at the Aubin Cinema, Shoreditch, on 19 March.

The British Red Cross joined forces with local charity Art Against Knives to make the animation which tells the true stories of three people, who have witnessed or been the victim of a stabbing, and aims to teach the viewer basic first aid techniques.

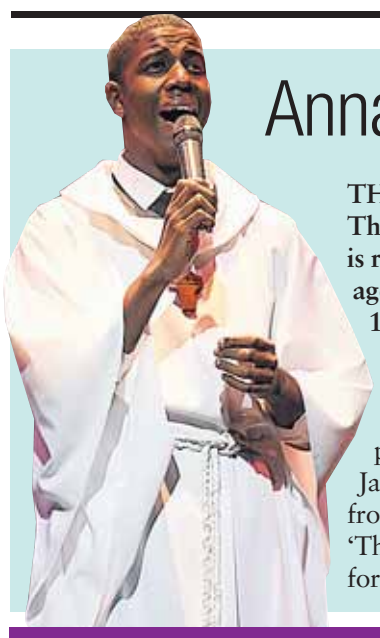
Chris, from Hackney, whose story was used in the film, said: "You never think it could happen to you, but I was stabbed and I think everyone should watch these films and learn what to do. If my friend hadn't learned some basic first aid and helped me out, I might not be here right now."

Paul Donnelly, head of campaigns at the British Red Cross, said: "Young people are statistically more likely to be affected by a knife attack, so it's essential they know how to help someone. This film gives people the first aid knowledge and empowerment and confidence to know what to do."

For first aid tips, visit: **www.facebook.com/lifeliveitnow**



Stills from the first aid film by charity Art Against Knives and the British Red Cross



Anna Fiorentini Theatre & Film School seeks new Hackney recruits

THE Anna Fiorentini Theatre and Film School is recruiting new students, aged between seven and 18, for next term.

Household names to have attended the school in the past include Jermain Jackman (pictured, left) from hit BBC talent show 'The Voice'. The not-for-profit acting school supports less privileged children to access professional training by running part time courses at four London branches, including one in Hackney.

Students signing up for next term will get the chance to take part in a musical theatre variety performance at the Hackney Empire on 13 September. They will take to the stage alongside Jermain who is set to perform at the event in his role as an ambassador for the school and its charitable arm, The Fiorentini Foundation.

There are also places open for drama lessons for four to six-year-olds. For more information, visit: **www.annafiorentini.com**; or call: **020 7682 1403**.



Last year's variety performance, 'Wicked', at Hackney Empire

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The Prince of Wales and the Duchess of Cornwall meet pupils from across London on the first day of the Edible Garden Show

Incredible and edible

YOUNGSTERS from Thomas Fairchild Community School got to meet the Prince of Wales and Duchess of Cornwall after winning a competition to design an edible garden.

Pupils from the N1 school outshone other schools in London with their original ideas for a garden that could be enjoyed by the whole community.

The children considered a number of issues, including which types of edible plants were best to use, biodiversity, irrigation methods and sustainable growing methods.

> "Healthy eating and learning about where our food comes from is really important"

The school received £2,000 of gardening equipment, plus tickets to meet the Royal couple on the first day of the Edible Garden Show at Alexandra Palace – the country's only national event dedicated to growing your own fruit and vegetables – on 28 March.

Headteacher Jenny Lewis said: "Healthy eating and learning about where our food comes from is really important at our school.

"By winning this competition we pay homage to our school namesake, Thomas Fairchild, a local celebrated gardener from the 18th century."

Over 100 schools registered for the competition, of which just 13 were shortlisted as finalists. Thomas Fairchild is one of seven 'Health Heroes' schools in Hackney, which are part of a borough-wide campaign run by the Council and partners to get children to eat more healthily and be more active.

MORE INFO

For more info, visit: **www.hackney.gov.uk/healthy-hackney**

News in brief



Homerton hospital benefits from nearly £900k of funding

HOMERTON hospital is set to receive a financial boost for both its maternity ward and accident and emergency department.

Mums-to-be will benefit from a £194,000 increase in Government funding for the hospital's antenatal and postnatal wards.

The money will be spent on 50 new reclining bedside chairs for the postnatal ward, which will provide more comfort for partners staying with mother and baby. It will also go towards the expansion of the antenatal area, including an additional treatment and assessment room. This is to help serve the growing number of new mums attending the antenatal clinic at Homerton – the hospital is expecting to deal with over 6,000 births this year.

The hospital has also been granted a share of £30million fund to develop new technology.

The Government's Nursing Technology Fund awarded Homerton £677,000 to purchase monitors for the accident and emergency department and eight wards across the hospital.



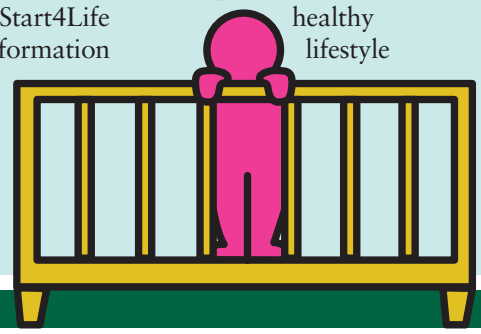
The new equipment will measure patients' vital signs and record them in a new electronic patient record, which is due to be introduced next year. This will allow clinicians to observe any abnormal signs immediately.

Scheme to help parents give their children the best start in life

PARENTS can get extra help to give their children the best start in life, thanks to Hackney's free vitamin scheme and the launch of a national advice service.

Healthy Start for All – a drive to provide free vitamins to all pregnant women, new mums and children under four in Hackney – has been re-launched this month.

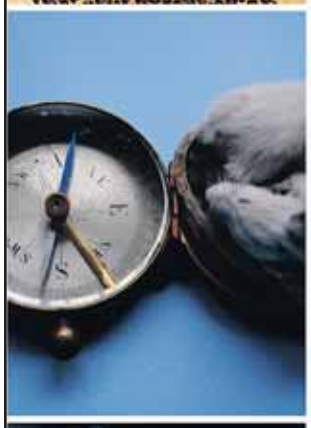
Good nutrition during pregnancy and early childhood leads to better health and helps children to grow and develop. Most local pharmacies are participating in the programme which provides all the vital vitamins that mums, babies and young children need. The NHS has also joined up with Start4Life to launch an information service that offers parents tips and advice by e-mail or text, free of charge. The service is designed for mums and dads-to-be and new parents to encourage healthy lifestyle choices for themselves and their babies.



Cllr Jonathan McShane, Cabinet Member for Health, Social Care and Culture, said: "As a new dad myself, I know that nothing is more important than the health of our children. Making sure that every child in Hackney gets the best possible start in life is our number one priority."

For details of how to collect your free vitamins visit: **hackney.gov.uk/healthy-start-for-all;** or call: **020 8356 3349.** To sign up to the Start4Life information service visit: **www.nhs.uk/start4life**







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If you currently pay by standing order or direct debit no action is required, as these will transfer automatically.

Questions on this change should be directed to your usual council contact, or get more information at **www.hackney.gov.uk**

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ON THE BUSES

Celebrate the 75th birthday of the fully restored RT1 – which is 'coming home' on Saturday, 12 April









1. Routemaster (RM) buses at Well Street bus garage, 1969; 2. Cliff Richard driving an RT in 'Summer Holiday'; 3. B-type bus on route 56, c1922; 4. Route 277 (working from Clapton Garage), 1967; 5. Route 106 near Finsbury Park, 1967; 6. RT type bus in Lea Bridge Road, 1950; 7. RT type bus in the background as children from the WW2 Emergency Elementary School cross over Downs Park Road, c1944

Celebrating the year of the bus

By **Sally England**

LONDON is celebrating the 'Year of the Bus' with many events taking place across the capital.

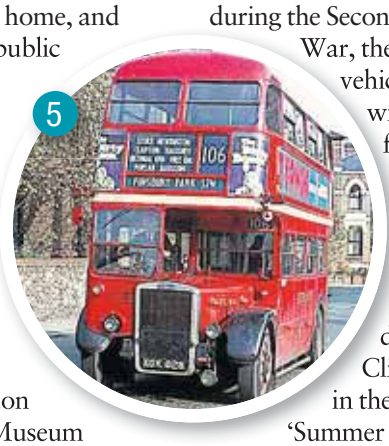
This year coincides with a number of important anniversaries in the story of the London bus, including one relating to the First World War and another with a Hackney connection.

In 1910, the B-type – the first successfully mass-produced motorised double-decker bus – was developed by the London General Omnibus Company (LGOC) and went into service. The new vehicle allowed the city's bus service to be expanded on a massive scale, with many new routes introduced and existing ones extended, including the first ever route to have a suffix letter – the 35A, which ran between Elephant and Castle and Walthamstow via Dalston Lane – now the 76.

But the expansion of bus services came to a sudden halt with the outbreak of the First World War a century ago in 1914. In subsequent years over 1,000 of the 2,500 B-types built were shipped to France, Belgium and Egypt – along with their drivers and mechanics – to transport troops behind allied lines.

Their red and white livery was camouflaged with khaki paint, and the lower deck windows nailed up with protective boards. Initially designed to carry 34 civilian customers, the army buses could hold 24 fully-equipped soldiers along with their kit. Some buses were used for a very different sort of passenger however, when they were converted into mobile pigeon lofts for frontline communications.

At the end of the war in 1918, the buses were used once more to transport the troops back home, and reverted to public service until 1928. One of the last surviving B-types, no 2737, is being restored to its wartime condition by the London Transport Museum to retrace its European journey.



Another anniversary is that of the creation of the iconic Routemaster (RM) bus, which first appeared 60 years ago in 1954, and is still running today on some London's heritage routes.

But more exciting for Hackney is the anniversary of the model that preceded the RM, the RT, which became the standard London double-decker during the Second World War, the last vehicle being withdrawn from service in 1979.

In fact, the RT was also the model driven by Cliff Richard in the hit film 'Summer Holiday'.

Almost 7,000 RT buses were built, with the first 151 beginning to roll off the production line in 1939.

The number was limited due to the outbreak of war, but the full batch was delivered by June 1940. The first ever RT ran on route 22 through Hackney from Homerton to Putney Common in August 1939. The route first opened in May 1909, running between Clapton and Borough, but was soon extended to Leyton, and on Sundays to Epping Forest. Many more alterations to the route were made, and today the 22 runs between Piccadilly Circus to Putney Common via Knightsbridge, with the Hackney section of the route now covered by the 242.

For one day only to celebrate its 75th birthday, a restored RT1 is 'coming home' on 12 April. Trips will be available on the original prototype vehicle, which has not seen public service since 1945. There will also be free journeys on a fleet of heritage buses, with traditional conductors, between Piccadilly Circus and Shoreditch Church every 10 minutes between 11am and 4.30pm, extended every 20 minutes to Homerton. One of the RT buses that crossed the United States to promote the Festival of Britain in 1951 will also be visiting the borough.

For more info, visit: **www.londonbusmuseum.com/RT75**

MORE INFO

Hackney Archives looks after Council administrative records and archives dating back to 1700. It also keeps records for individuals and organisations with links to Hackney. Call: **020 8356 8925**; e-mail: **archives@hackney.gov.uk**; or visit: **www.hackney.gov.uk/archives**

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Recipes straight from the Eat Hackney Cookbook

www.eathackney.com/cookbook





THIS issue's recipe is taken from the Eat Hackney Cookbook, which features food from around the world. Its sale raises funds for two small local charities which work to feed the homeless and vulnerable: the Hackney Migrant Centre and North London Action for the Homeless. The Cookbook costs £5, with all funds going to the charities. For more info on where to buy a copy, visit: eathackney.com/cookbook

Mango pudding

Serves 8

Preparation time
15 mins

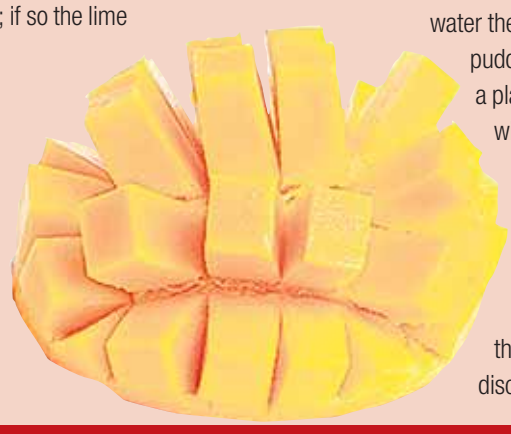
Cooking time
3 hours

Ingredients

- 2 envelopes unflavoured gelatin
- 250ml hot water
- 120g sugar
- 750ml pureed fresh mangoes
- 250ml low fat evaporated milk
- Juice of 1 lime (optional, depends if the mangoes are very sweet; if so the lime sharpens them up)
- Lime wedges, optional
- Fresh mango slices for garnish, optional.

Method

- Add the gelatin to the hot water and mix until dissolved and smooth. Then dissolve the sugar in the mix too
- In a large bowl, mix the mango puree and evaporated milk. Pour the gelatin mixture into the mango and stir. Pour the mixture into a jelly mould or cups and chill until set, for at least 3 hours
- To serve, dip the jelly mould briefly in hot water then turn the pudding out onto a platter. Garnish with mango and lime slices if desired and serve. (This is best eaten within a day or the mango may discolour.)



This recipe comes from the Parkholme Supper Club (parkholmesupperclub.co.uk), which was founded by Alicia Weston and operates from her Hackney home. Alicia has a threefold mission: to foster communality through cooking and eating, to train people who want to learn to cook, and to raise money for Médecins Sans Frontières in a regular and sustainable way.

Results of consultation on licensing rented housing

THE Council is examining ways of improving the standard of rented housing in the borough.

Evidence of poor management in the private sector has prompted several councils to consider proposals that would mean more landlords were required to apply for a license to allow them to rent out their properties. Wider licensing may help ensure that all private rented properties met a certain standard.

The Living in Hackney Scrutiny Commission asked residents and landlords for their views on these proposals, including whether people encountered problems that wider licensing may help to solve.

Some 169 people responded to the survey and the majority (61 per cent) were in support of more private rented properties being licensed in Hackney. Support was lower amongst the landlords who responded to the consultation, although not all were against the idea.

Residents who are currently privately renting were particularly supportive.

The Council will use the survey findings and other information to decide if a scheme should be implemented.

To find out more about the review and recommendations, visit: **www.hackney.gov.uk/private-rented-housing-sector-review**



The Council asked residents and landlords for their views on renting

Meetings

COUNCIL MEETINGS IN APRIL

7	Children and young people scrutiny commission	7pm
8	Licensing sub committee	2pm
8	Audit sub committee	6.30pm
8	Community safety and social inclusion scrutiny commission	7pm
8	Living in Hackney scrutiny commission	7pm
9	Governance and resources scrutiny commission	7pm
9	Health in Hackney scrutiny commission	7pm
10	Overview and scrutiny board	7pm
10	Licensing sub committee	7pm
15	Licensing sub committee	2pm
16	Licensing sub committee	7pm
22	Licensing sub committee	7pm

Info: 020 8356 3316/3302/3341 or visit: www.hackney.gov.uk/council-democracy.htm

TENANTS & RESIDENTS ASSOCIATION MEETINGS IN APRIL

7	Grand Union & Dublin Avenue TRA	7pm
8	Boscobel House TRA	7pm
10	Acton Estate TRA	7pm
15	Welshpool House TRA	7pm
16	Follingham Court TRA	7pm
16	Gascoyne 2 Estate TRA	7pm
17	Stoke Newington Neighbourhood Panel	7pm
17	Manor TRA	7pm
21	Queensbridge & De Beauvoir (Central) Neighbourhood Panel	7.30pm
23	St Mary's Estate TRA	6.30pm
24	Hawksley Court TRA	7.30pm

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Sudoku

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LONDON BOROUGH OF HACKNEY

ROAD TRAFFIC REGULATIONS ACT 1984 SECTION 14(1) AND 16A: PROPOSED AND MADE NOTICES

ROAD TRAFFIC REGULATION ACT 1984 SECTION 14(1) AND 16A: NOTICES OF PROPOSED AND MADE ORDERS

WE, THE LONDON BOROUGH OF HACKNEY, GIVE NOTICE THAT WE INTEND TO MAKE THE FOLLOWING ORDERS IN THE FIRST PART OF THE TABLE BELOW, AND HAVE MADE THE ORDERS IN THE SECOND PART OF THE TABLE, IN EACH CASE FOR THE REASONS AND DURATION DATES STATED AND WITH ALTERNATIVE DIVERSION ROUTES AVAILABLE

ANDY CUNNINGHAM, HEAD OF STREETSCENE, 30 MARCH 2014

PROPOSED RESTRICTION (PROPOSED NOTICE)

REF NO.	ROAD NAME	RESTRICTION	REASON	LOCATION	DIVERSION ROUTE	WORK START DATE	WORK END DATE
P1430	Digby Road E9	Footway Closure	UKPN Works	South west side, Between points 30 metres and 98 metres north west of its junction with Berger Road	Opposite side of footpath	06-May-14	12-May-14
P1322-3	Ashwin Street E8	Road Closure	Thames Water Works	From its junction with Dalston Lane in a northly direction for a distance of 25 metres	Via local signage	07-May-14	09-May-14
P1433	Paul Street EC2A	Footway Closure	Building Works	East side, From a point in line with the property boundary no 10 to a point in line with the property boundary no 22	Opposite side of footpath	28-Apr-14	28-Jun-14
P1288-1	Lammas Road E9	Footway and Road Closures	Building Works	From a point of southern kerb line of Penshurst Road in a south easterly direction for a distance of 40 metres	Via local signage	28-Apr-14	03-Nov-14
P1434	Worship Street EC2A	Footway Closure	Building Works	South west side, From its junction with Vandy Street in a westerly direction for a distance of 30 metres	Provide Walkway	28-Apr-14	14-Jun-14
P1437	Bethnal Green Road E2	Footway Closure	UKPN Works	North Side, Between points 38 metres and 48 metres east of its junction with Shoreditch High Street	Provide Walkway	28-Apr-14	03-Nov-14
CONFIRMED RESTRICTION (MADE NOTICE CONTINUED)							
P1422	Ardleigh Road N1	Footway and Road Closures	Crane Operation	From its junction with Culford Road in a north westerly direction for a distance of 55 metres	Via local signage	17-Apr-14	04-Jun-14
P1426	Downs Lane E5	Footway Closure	Footway Closure & Cycle Lane Suspensions	From its junction with Downs Road in a north westerly direction for a distance of 30 metres	Opposite side of footpath	17-Apr-14	16-Oct-14
P1366-1	Goldsmith Row E2	Road Closure	Thames Water Works	Between points 34 metres and 146 metres north east of its junction with Hackney Road	Via local signage	07-Apr-14	09-Apr-14
P1429	Hoxton Square N1	Footway closure	UKPN Works	northern side, From a point in line with the property boundary no 19/20 to a point in line with the eastern property boundary no 21	Opposite side of footpath	22-Apr-14	28-Apr-14
P1388-1	Laburnum Street E2	Footway Closure	Gas Works	south east, From its junction with Nursery Lane in a north easterly direction for a distance of 90metres	Opposite side of footpath	21-Apr-14	05-May-14
P1428	Lea Bridge Road E5	Bus Lane Suspension	Traffic Management Work	North west side, From its junction with Chatsworth Road in a north easterly direction for a distance of 250 metres	Not Required	14-Apr-14	27-Apr-14
P1420	Mackintosh Lane E9	Road Closure	Virgin Media Works	From its junction with Homerton High Street in a south easterly direction for a distance of 10 metres	Via local signage	12-Apr-14	12-Apr-14
P1417	Manor Road N16	Footway Closure	UKPN Works	O/s Building No. 24 to 30	Opposite side of footpath	09-Apr-14	15-Apr-14
P1421	Marcon Place E8	Footway Closure	Building Works	North west side, From its junction with Spurstowe Terrace in a south westerly direction for a distance of 58 metres	Opposite side of footpath	07-Apr-14	20-Jul-15
P1423	Mare Street E8	Bus Lane Suspension	Gas Works	From a point in line with the property boundary no 215/217 to a point in line with the property boundary no 217/219	Not Required	07-Apr-14	14-Apr-14
P1419	Millfield Road E5	Footway Closure	UKPN Works	O/s Building No. 2	Opposite side of footpath	08-Apr-14	14-Apr-14
P1418	Rendlesham Road E5	Road Closure & Introduction of Waiting, Loading & Unloading Restriction	Crane Operation	From its junction with Walsingham Road to Goldcrest Mews	Via local signage	27-Apr-14	27-Apr-14
P1427	Rivington Street EC2A	Footway and Road Closures	Crane Operation	From its junction with Great Eastern Street in a easterly direction for a distance of 60 metres	Via local signage	26-Apr-14	26-Apr-14
P1421-1	Spurstowe Terrace E8	Footway Closure	Building Works	South west side, From its junction with Marcon Place in a north westerly direction for a distance of 18 metres	Opposite side of footpath	07-Apr-14	20-Jul-15
P1405	Wellesley Terrace N1	Road Closure	Thames Water Works	From its junction with City Road to its junction with Micawber Street	Via local signage	21-Apr-14	31-May-14
P1412-1	Whiston Road E2	Footway Closure	Gas Works	O/S Hebden Court 11 to 26	Opposite side of footpath	21-Apr-14	05-May-14
P1402	Worship Street EC2A	Introduction of One way	Building Works	Southeast bound, From its junction with Appold Street to a point 55 metres north west of its junction with Norton Folgate (A10)	Not Required	12-Apr-14	12-May-14

YOU CAN GET MORE INFORMATION AND MAKE COMMENTS ABOUT THIS PROPOSED AND MADE ORDERS BY CONTACTING THE HELPLINE ON 020 8356 2897

TRAFFIC

LONDON BOROUGH OF HACKNEY

THE HACKNEY (WAITING, LOADING AND STOPPING RESTRICTIONS) (CONSOLIDATION) (AMENDMENT NO.*) ORDER 201*

THE HACKNEY (PARKING PLACES) (CONSOLIDATION) (AMENDMENT NO.*) ORDER 201* TT1004

1. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Council of the London Borough of Hackney proposes to make the above-mentioned Orders under the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984 as amended.

2. The general effect of the Orders will be to;

a) Remove length of no waiting at ant time, double yellow line and introduce new Zone K Resident Permit Mon - Fri 8.30am - 6.30pm parking bays on the western side of Lee Conservancy Road.

b) Convert 4m section of zone K resident permit bay to double yellow line on the eastern side of Lee Conservancy Road.

3. Plans and schedules of the proposed measures can be inspected during normal office hours on Mondays to Fridays inclusive until a period of 21 days from the date on which this notice is published in the reception area, London Borough of Hackney, Keltan House, 89-115 Mare Street, London, E8 4RU. Further information may be obtained by contacting Helpdesk on 020 8356 2897.

4. Any objections or other representations about the proposed Order(s) should be sent in writing to the Assistant Director (Public Realm) at the address specified in paragraph 3 above until the expiration of a period of 21 days from the date on which this Notice is published. All objections must specify the grounds on which they are made.

THE LONDON BOROUGH OF HACKNEY

TRAFFIC MANAGEMENT ORDER

RAISED ENTRY TREATMENTS - HIGHWAYS ACT 1980 - SECTION 90C

THE HACKNEY (PRESCRIBED ROUTES AND 20 MPH SPEED LIMIT)

(AMENDMENT NO.*) ORDER 201* TT1005

1. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the London Borough of Hackney, in accordance with the Section 90C of the Highway Act 1980 as amended proposes to make raised junction treatment, as detailed in the schedule 1 of this notice.

2. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Council of the London Borough of Hackney proposes to make the above-mentioned Orders under the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984 as amended.

3. The general effect of this Order will be to introduce an exemption for pedal cycles in Edwards Lane for the entire length.

4. Plans of the proposed measures can be inspected during normal office hours on Mondays to Fridays inclusive until a period of 21 days from the date, on which this notice is published, in the reception area, London Borough of Hackney, Keltan House, 89-115 Mare Street, London, E8 4RU. Further information may be obtained by contacting Helpdesk on 020 8356 2897.

5. Any objections or other representations about the proposed Order should be sent in writing to the Assistant Director (Public Realm) at the address specified in paragraph 3 above until the expiration of a period of 21 days from the date on which this Notice is published. All objections must specify the grounds on which they are made.

Dated this 7th day of April 2014

SCHEDULE 1

Entry Treatment: SCHEDULE

Note: The carriageway will be raised to the footway level in Edwards Lane. The ramp gradients will be between 1:10 and 1:15 and the maximum height of the speed table will be 100mm.

Edwards Lane	From its western junction with Stoke Newington Church Street for a distance of approximately 6m north.

LONDON BOROUGH OF HACKNEY

THE HACKNEY (WAITING, LOADING AND STOPPING RESTRICTIONS) (CONSOLIDATION) (AMENDMENT NO.4) ORDER 2014

THE HACKNEY (PARKING PLACES) (CONSOLIDATION) (AMENDMENT NO.5) ORDER 2014 TT995

1. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Council of the London Borough of Hackney on 04th April 2014 did make the above-mentioned Orders under the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984 as amended.

2. The general effect of the Orders will be to;

a) Relocate 2 parking bays due to raised table on Whiston Road.

b) Remove existing loading bays adjacent to Swimmers Lane.

c) Introduce new no waiting at any time restrictions to replace the relocated parking bays and the loading bay.

d) Remove the no waiting at any time restriction on Mount Pleasant Lane along the extent of the existing School Keep Clear marking outside Harrington Hill Primary School.

3. Copies of the Orders, which will come into force on 14th April 2014, other relevant Orders, and other documents giving more detailed particulars of the Orders, can be inspected during normal office hours on Mondays to Fridays inclusive, until the expiration of a period of six weeks from the date on which the Orders are made, in the reception area, London Borough of Hackney Keltan House 89 -115 Mare Street London, E8 4RU. Further information may be obtained by contacting Helpdesk on 020 8356 2897.

4. If any person wishes to question the validity of either of the Orders, or of any provision contained therein on the grounds that it not within the powers conferred by the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984 or that any requirement of the Act or of any instrument under the Act has not been complied with, that person may, within six weeks of the date on which the Orders are made, apply for the purpose to the High Court.

LONDON BOROUGH OF HACKNEY

THE HACKNEY (WAITING, LOADING AND STOPPING RESTRICTIONS) (CONSOLIDATION) (AMENDMENT NO.5) ORDER 2014

THE HACKNEY (PARKING PLACES) (CONSOLIDATION) (AMENDMENT NO.6) ORDER 2014 TT997

1. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Council of the London Borough of Hackney on 4th April 2014 did make the above-mentioned Orders under the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984 as amended.

2. The general effect of the Orders will be to amend the Pedestrian Zone hours in BROADWAY AND HOXTON MARKETS to Saturdays 6am until 8pm except for loading by permit holders from 6am to 10am and 4pm to 8pm (valid permits to be specified on zone entry signs).

3. Copies of the Orders, which will come into force on 14th April 2014, other relevant Orders, and other documents giving more detailed particulars of the Orders, can be inspected during normal office hours on Mondays to Fridays inclusive, until the expiration of a period of six weeks from the date on which the Orders are made, in the reception area, London Borough of Hackney Keltan House 89 -115 Mare Street London, E8 4RU. Further information may be obtained by contacting Helpdesk on 020 8356 2897.

4. If any person wishes to question the validity of either of the Orders, or of any provision contained therein on the grounds that it not within the powers conferred by the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984 or that any requirement of the Act or of any instrument under the Act has not been complied with, that person may, within six weeks of the date on which the Orders are made, apply for the purpose to the High Court.

LONDON BOROUGH OF HACKNEY

THE HACKNEY (WAITING, LOADING AND STOPPING RESTRICTIONS) (CONSOLIDATION) (AMENDMENT NO.6) ORDER 2014

THE HACKNEY (PARKING PLACES) (CONSOLIDATION) (AMENDMENT NO.7) ORDER 2014 TT998

1. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Council of the London Borough of Hackney on 5th April 2014 did make the above-mentioned Orders under the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984 as amended.

2. The general effect of the Orders will be to:-

Remove existing double yellow lines and introduce a new Electric Vehicle Charging Bay in Pitfield Street opposite the end of Haberdasher Street

3. Copies of the Orders, which will come into force on 14th April 2014, other relevant Orders, and other documents giving more detailed particulars of the Orders, can be inspected during normal office hours on Mondays to Fridays inclusive, until the expiration of a period of six weeks from the date on which the Orders are made, in the reception area, London Borough of Hackney Keltan House 89 -115 Mare Street London, E8 4RU. Further information may be obtained by contacting Helpdesk on 020 8356 2897.

4. If any person wishes to question the validity of either of the Orders, or of any provision contained therein on the



grounds that it not within the powers conferred by the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984 or that any requirement of the Act or of any instrument under the Act has not been complied with, that person may, within six weeks of the date on which the Orders are made, apply for the purpose to the High Court.

Unless otherwise stated all traffic notices are as follows: Dated this 7th day of April 2014
Tom McCourt, Assistant Director (Public Realm)
(The officer appointed for this purpose)



PLANNING

LONDON BOROUGH OF HACKNEY NOTICE UNDER THE TOWN AND COUNTRY PLANNING ACTS AND RELATED ORDERS

EC2A

Roma Building 32 Scrutton Street London EC2A 4RQ Erection of two single storey metal containers for 5 years in existing car park above and erection of external staircase to first floor level. 2013/4182 Affects the Setting of a Conservation Area

80 Clifton Street London EC2A 4HB Removal of 2 x windows and installation 2 x emergency exit doors at ground floor level to the Clifton Street elevation 2014/0894 Affects the Setting of a Conservation Area

E2

195-199 Hackney Road London E2 8JL Variation of condition 12 (Not in accordance with approved plans) of planning permission 2012/3601: To extend building to additional 1.5 metres to first, second and third floors 2014/0032 Affects the Setting of a Conservation Area

41 Boundary Street London E2 7JG Erection of two storey roof extension at fifth and sixth floor level in order to provide additional living accommodation to existing fourth floor residential unit; provision of roof terrace at seventh floor level; reconfiguration of ground floor plan and alterations to Boundary Street frontage at ground floor level. 2014/0863 Affects Setting of a Listed Building

E5

13 Laura Place London E5 0QY Reconstruction of entrance porch. Associated works to porch comprising restraint fixing between upper ground floor joists and external wall. In association with planning application 2014/0839. 2014/0838 Listed Building

Buccleuch House Clapton Common Clapton London E5 9AN Variation of condition 2 (drawings) attached to permission 2012/3006 granted 27/12/12 to include 2 rear balconies to first floor rear elevation 2014/0889 Major Development

174 Clarence Road London E5 8DY Conversion of existing ground floor A1 use and upper floor 1x2 bed dwelling to A1 use at ground/basement level and 1x2, 2x1 bed dwellings on all floors. Excavation of basement level and erection of 2 storey rear extensions at basement/ground and first/second floor level respectively. 2014/1010 Affects the Setting of a Conservation Area

E8

26 St Philips Road London E8 3BP Erection of rear dormer roof extension 2014/0753 Affects the Setting of a Conservation Area

4b Tyssen Street Dalston London E8 2FJ Installation of external roller shutters to ground floor frontage. 2014/0758 Affects the Setting of a Conservation Area

11-13 Glebe Road London E8 4BD Erection of an additional storey at third floor level to form 1x2 and 1x3 bed flats with roof terrace. 2014/0789 Affects the Setting of a Conservation Area

183 A/B Richmond Road London E8 3NJ Replacement of the existing timber windows and timber doors with timber windows and timber doors to the front and rear of the property. 2014/0806 Affects the Setting of a Conservation Area

105 a/b Middleton Road London E8 4BL Replacement of the existing single glazed timber sash windows and doors with double glazed timber sash windows and doors to the front, rear and side of the property. 2014/0807 Affects the Setting of a Conservation Area

107a/b Middleton Road London E8 4BL Replacement of existing single glazed timber sash windows and timber doors with double glazed timber sash windows and timber doors to the front of the property 2014/0809 Affects the Setting of a Conservation Area

Swimming Pool London Fields West Side London E8 3EU Installation of 8no floodlights (8m high columns each with two light fittings); extension of opening hours from 0700-2100 on any day to 0630-2100 on any day. 2014/0888 Conservation Area Consent

82 Lansdowne Drive London E8 3ER Erection of a single storey rear infill extension; installation of 2 x timber framed French double doors to rear elevation; removal of existing window at first floor level; creation of a new window at first floor level; installation of boiler flue to rear roof slope 2014/0919 Affects the Setting of a Conservation Area

66 A Shacklewell Lane London E8 2EY Erection of a single storey rear extension. And reduction of raised garden area. 2014/0928 Affects the Setting of a Conservation Area

St Paul's with St Michael's Church of England Primary School 57a Brougham Road London E8 4PB Erection of a single storey classroom building with decking area and associated works including relocation/enlargement of bike store. 2014/0956 Major Development

67 a/b Lansdowne Drive London E8 3EP Replacement of existing windows and doors with double glazed timber windows and doors 2014/0986 Affects the Setting of a Conservation Area

E9

10a Moulins Road London E9 7EL Erection of single storey rear infill extension at lower ground floor level; provision of stairs within proposed rear extension to provide access to garden from upper ground floor level; installation of French doors to rear elevation at upper ground floor level. 2014/0442 Affects the Setting of a Conservation Area

24 St. John's Church Road London E9 6EJ Erection of part single-storey full-width extension at the rear ground floor level and part single-storey extension at the rear second floor level of the property. 2014/0887 Affects the Setting of a Conservation Area

172 Victoria Park Road Hackney LONDON E9 7HD Erection of a single storey ground floor rear extension 2014/0915 Affects the Setting of a Conservation Area

227 A Victoria Park Road London E9 7HD New roof terrace at third floor level. 2014/1017 Affects the Setting of a Conservation Area

N1

Land Adjacent 80 Mortimer Road London N1 5AP Demolition of existing single-storey structure and erection of singlestorey over-basement building to provide 1 x 1 bedroom self contained dwelling house; change of use of site from mixed use B1a (office)/B2 (general industry) to C3 (residential). 2014/0527 Affects the Setting of a Conservation Area

28 De Beauvoir Square London N1 4LE Partial demolition of existing lower ground and ground floor elements of the buildings, rear balcony at ground floor level and two rear staircases and erection of a two storey rear extension at lower ground and ground floor levels, elevational alterations to the rear of the existing building at lower ground and ground floor levels and landscaping amendments to the rear of the building. 2014/0606 Listed Building Consent (DNA)

28 De Beauvoir Square London N1 4LE Erection of a two storey rear extension at lower ground and ground floor levels, elevational alterations to the rear of the existing building at lower ground and ground floor levels and landscaping amendments to the rear of the building. 2014/0607 Affects the Setting of a Conservation Area

192 Hoxton Street London N1 5LH Demolition and replacement of single storey rear extension at second floor level and erection of a single storey roof extension (Amended Scheme) 2014/0793 Affects the Setting of a Conservation Area

7 Balls Pond Road London N1 4AX Change of use of the ground A1 shops to wine bar (A4 Use), installation of replacement shopfront and replacement rear door 2014/0920 Affects the Setting of a Conservation Area

Hoxton Hall Theatre 130 Hoxton Street London N1 6SH External alterations to allow the display of a projecting sign, fascia sign and high level sign on Hoxton Street elevation (associated advert consent application 2014/0858) 2014/0926 Listed Building Consent (DNA)

55 Pitfield Street Hoxton London N1 6BU Removal of condition 8 (BREEAM) of planning permission 2012/1945, dated 09/10/2012. 2014/0955 Major Development

178 Hoxton Street Hackney LONDON N1 5LH Upgrade of existing telecom installation comprising extention of existing GRP chimney stack to allow for replacement of 2no antennas within, replacement of 1no facemounted antenna on southwest elevation and development ancillary thereto. 2014/0990 Affects the Setting of a Conservation Area

140 Hoxton Street London N1 6SH Demolition of existing single storey building in cafe (A3) use and construction of four storey over basement building comprising A3 use at basement and ground floor with opening hours 0800-2200 every day and two self-contained residential units at first, second and third floor level (1x1 bed, 1x2 bed); installation of extraction equipment to rear elevation; provision of roof terrace to rear elevation at third floor level. 2014/1003 Affects the Setting of a Conservation Area

N16

112 Osbaldeston Road London N16 6NJ Erection of a rear roof extension, part single and part two storey rear extension at ground floor level, and excavation to provide basement including front and rear light wells.. 2014/0560 Affects the Setting of a Conservation Area

London Borough of Hackney Notice under the Town and Country Planning Acts and Related Orders The Applications can be inspected between 9am and 5pm at 1 Hillman Street London, E8 1DY. They can also be viewed on the following website: www.hackney.gov.uk/planning. Representations should be made in writing within 21 days to the Development Control Manager, 2 Hillman Street, London, E8 1 FB. All representations will be acknowledged in writing.
John Allen Assistant Director Planning
7th April 2014



LICENSING

Notice is given that DEMIRCAN LIMITED applied to HACKNEY COUNCIL for a premises licence at: Y.O.L.O (FORMERLY KNOWN AS EGO), 175A (BASEMENT), STOKE NEWINGTON ROAD, LONDON, N16 8BP

In order that the following licensable activities can take place: SALE BY RETAIL OF ALCOHOL, PLAYS, EXHIBITION OF FILMS, LIVE MUSIC, RECORDED MUSIC AND PERFORMANCES OF DANCE. ANYTHING OF SIMILAR DESCRIPTION TO THAT FALLING WITHIN LIVE MUSIC, RECORDED MUSIC OR PERFORMANCES OF DANCE. FACILITIES FOR MAKING MUSIC, FACILITIES FOR DANCING, FACILITIES OF A SIMILAR DESCRIPTION TO MAKING MUSIC OR DANCING, PROVISION OF LATE NIGHT REFRESHMENT, INDOOR SPORTING EVENTS INCLUDING BUT NOT LIMITED TO PUB GAMES, POOL AND SNOOKER WHERE SPECTATORS ARE PRESENT.

The licence register listing details of the application is held at the Licensing Service, Hackney Service Centre, 1 Hillman Street, London E8 1DY (Tel No. 020 8356 4970). Details are also available on-line at www.hackney.gov.uk/licensing

Any representations against this application must be made in writing and received by the Licensing Service at the above address, by no later than the 16TH APRIL 2014

Residents and businesses in the vicinity of the premises, or their representatives, may make representations on licensing objectives grounds only, i.e. the prevention of crime and disorder, the prevention of public nuisance, public safety and the protection of children from harm. Copies of all representations will be sent to the applicant. It is an offence, liable on conviction to a fine up to £5000 for an applicant to knowingly or recklessly make a false statement in connection with the application.

Notice is given that Ms Denise Chandler has applied to the Council of the London Borough of Hackney for renewal of Existing Licence at "Browns" – 1 Hackney Road, London E2 7NX On the following date 31st March 2014

Anyone wishing to oppose the application must give notice in writing to the Licensing Service, Hackney Service Centre, 1 Hillman Street, London E8 1DY within TWENTY EIGHT DAYS from the date the application was made, the last date being 28th April 2014 specifying the grounds or reasons of any objection.

Persons objecting to the grant of a licence will be invited to attend a hearing before the Council's Licensing Sub-committee, to support their case. Where objections are received, applicants will be advised of the general terms of the objection, in order that they have the opportunity to address the issues raised. The Council will not disclose an objector's details, without the consent of that person.

Notice of application to Hackney Council for a Premises Licence by Briggs & Williams Ltd in respect of 5 Dalston Lane, London E8 3DF for the Sale of Alcohol & Regulated Entertainment (0900- 0000hrs max, plus New Year) & Late Night Refreshment (2300- 0100hrs max, plus New Year).

The licence register listing details of the application is held at the: Licensing Service, 1 Hillman Street, London E8 1DY (tel 0208 3564970) or via www.hackney.gov.uk/licensing

Any representation to the application must be made in writing to the Licensing Authority (above) and received no later than the 25 April 2014. It is an offence knowingly or recklessly to make a false statement in connection with an application punishable with a maximum fine of £5000 on summary conviction.

Notice is given that James Manero and Amechi Ihenacho applied to HACKNEY COUNCIL to vary the premises licence at: Basement, 232 Kingsland Road, London E2 8AX

In order to make the following variation to the licence: Removal of condition 15 of our current premises license. 15. Music to is to be played at background level only, so as not to interfere with normal conversation

Allowance for the performance of recorded music, via a noise limiter and the implementation of an acoustic report so as to ensure music is not heard within the nearest noise sensitive premises.

The licence register listing details of the variation is held at the Licensing Service, Hackney Service Centre, 1 Hillman Street, London E8 1DY (Tel No. 020 8356 4970). Details are also available on-line at www.hackney.gov.uk/licensing

Any representations against this application must be made in writing and received by the Licensing Service at the above address, by no later than the 17th April 2014

Residents and businesses in the vicinity of the premises, or their representatives, may make representations on licensing objectives grounds only, i.e. the prevention of crime and disorder, the prevention of public nuisance, public safety and the protection of children from harm. Copies of all representations will be sent to the applicant. It is an offence, liable on conviction to a fine up to £5000 for an applicant to knowingly or recklessly make a false statement in connection with the application.

Notice is given that IHSAN TUNCAY applied to HACKNEY COUNCIL for a premises licence at: 57 BROADWAY MARKET LONDON E8 4PH

In order that the following licensable activities can take place: SALE OF INTOXICATING LIQUERS FOR CONSUMPTION IN THE PREMISES AND PLAYING RECORDED MUSIC BETWEEN THE HOURS OF 11:00-23:00 DAILY.

The licence register listing details of the application is held at the Licensing Service, Hackney Service Centre, 1 Hillman Street, London E8 1DY (Tel No. 020 8356 4970). Details are also available on-line at www.hackney.gov.uk/licensing

Any representations against this application must be made in writing and received by the Licensing Service at the above address, by no later than the 25 APRIL 2014

Residents and businesses in the vicinity of the premises, or their representatives, may make representations on licensing objectives grounds only, i.e. the prevention of crime and disorder, the prevention of public nuisance, public safety and the protection of children from harm. Copies of all representations will be sent to the applicant. It is an offence, liable on conviction to a fine up to £5000 for an applicant to knowingly or recklessly make a false statement in connection with the application.

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